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### FARMERS, READ the TRUTH!

The law compels you to pay all the taxes levied on your real estate, regardless of liens, or debts. The law exempts corporation companies of all taxes to the extent of all liens against them, and exacts only a 3 mills tax on corporation stock over and above said liens.

The law exempts manufacturing companies from all taxation. Capital is taxed in comparison with real estate as follows, viz: your farm is valued at, say $3,000. There may be a lien against it of $2,000, judgments or mortgage. Multitudes of farms have liens of certain amounts against them, but we will illustrate from the above. There are 2½ mills levied on your farm for county purposes, which makes a tax of $7,50. There are 6 mills levied for school purposes which makes a tax of $19,00 including occupation. 5 mills are levied for poor tax which makes a tax of $15.00, and a road tax of 6 mills which makes $18,00 more which makes a total of $59.50. Your personal property and dog are not included which would make several dollars more. You have a third interest in the farm and were you favored by our magnanimous laws like railroad and corporation kings, your tax on the farm would be only $19,83. The other two thirds interest in your farm draws an income to the holders of said lien of $120,00, and out of that income the holder pays a 3 mills state tax of $6 on his capital which is invested in your farm. A clear profit of $114,00, on which he bestows no labor at all. It takes therefore an excess of $179.50 to pay all the taxes and interest on your farm for one year, besides the necessary expenses for wear and tear and repairs. Any farmer, under such circumstances must live on terms of the strictest economy if he is enabled to meet the above requirements. Now the case of the Bloomsburg and Sullivan railroad is a striking example for illustration. In the Auditor General's report for the year 1888 we discover that that company paid a state tax of $164,-01. At a 3 mills tax this sum represents $54,670 railroad stock. No one will pretend that a less sum than a half million dollars is in-vested in that enterprise, and no doubt the people along the line donated and contributed in different ways to the railroad an amount equal to that which the state taxed the company. If that company were taxed on the same principal that real estate is, instead of $164.01 tax, it would have been $1,500. And if more than $500,000 is invested the tax would have been proportionately larger.

Railroads, corporations, real estate and all classes of property should be taxed, both for state and local purposes. In almost all country newspapers we see advertisements for sale of valuable real estates. They are valuable in that they they are loaded down with taxation, and depreciated in consequence of that load. Valuable though, to corporations and monopoly, not because of their possession and ownership, with the load of taxation, but because the slaves occupying and owning them pay the taxes for their masters whom the state has created to lord over their inheritance and to rule and rob with rigor.

FARMER.

### Permanent Certificate Examination

The committee on permanent certificates will hold an examination at Bloomsburg, on Saturday, April 25, to examine applicants for permanent certificates. All persons holding professional certificates are eligible. Blank applications may be procured of Supt. Johnston, Jerseytown. Applicants will confer a favor on the committee by notifiying the chairman of their intention together with the branches in which they expect to be examined.

BOYD TRESCOTT, Chairman.
Millville, Pa.

Rev. E. H. Yocum had a peculiar accident recently. An exchange says: Upon arising from his night's rest, the reverend gentleman threw his arms back over his head and stretched himself. Suddenly there was a rather loud report, as of something snapping, and Mr. Yocum fell to the floor. He managed to reach the bed in an adjacent room, and lay on it unconscious for a time. Members of the family discovered him there and sent for a doctor. After making an examination the physician stated that in the act of stretching Mr. Yocum had snapped a muscle back of his ear which had connection with the shoulder, aud this caused the loud report. It is a painful injury, and will require an absolute rest for some days before Mr. Yocum can resume his pulpit duties.

Boy wanted not under sixteen years of age to learn the printing trade. Apply at COLUMBIAN office.

### EAST BENTON.

Jacob M. Beishline and wife were the guests of your correspondent last Thursday week.

The winter has thus far been mild but the ground has been continuously covered with snow.

"Coon Day" comes every February 2nd and we are always sure to have six weeks weather thereafter.

THE COLUMBIAN grows in favor with all mankind.

Bowman Crawford bought the A. Runyan estate.

Judge Krickbaum met with an accident last Saturday night one week ago. He had been at Bloomsburg that day, taking the train at Benton. Returning from the latter place on horseback, his animal fearing to cross a slough in the mud, finally plunged and turned a somersault landing on top of the Judge. After some difficulty both scrambled up without serious injury, though it might have resulted with fatal consequences.

Our Representatives at Harrisburg keep us well supplied with, papers, documents, *Legislative Record*, etc., for all of which we tender grateful acknowledgements.

Several girls of this neighborhood are employed in the shirt factory at Benton.

There is nothing but tax, tax, tax. And one man said to us not long ago, "by thunder, I believe that they taxed my brains," as he couldn't see what else they could tax.

Mrs. Amanda Markle, of Michigan, informs us that she and her husband George, subscribe for THE COLUMBIAN. Well, that is right, they used to live in Germany, Fishingcreek, Pa.

John Bell and family, of Fairmount, paid us a visit week ago last Tuesday.

### WALLER.

George Smith, who has been sick for some time past, died on the 8th inst. The funeral was conducted by Rev. S. I. Shortess of the Evangelical church, to which he had belonged for several years. He was 72 yrs., 11 mo., and 18 days old, and leaves a wife and five children. The children are all married and two of them, Mrs. Hess and Mrs. Englehart, live at this place; John at Benton; Charles at Pottsville, and Philip at Danville.

Rev. S. P. Boone closed the meetings which have been going on here for several weeks, Friday night. During the meeting there were about thirty-five conversions.

John Yorks has been very low the past two weeks with heart disease, but we are pleased to learn that he is getting stronger.

Superintendent W. C. Johnston, while visiting the schools of this township last week met with quite an accident. He and Mr. Hirleman were driving along together in a sleigh, when they came to some snow dritts which upset them, and it was thought for some time had broken Prof. Johnston's arm, but Dr. McHenry, who was called in said it was only a severe sprain.

Messrs. Butt and Yorks, two of our teachers, were among the number who attended the local institute held at Unityville, Saturday afternoon and evening. They report a good time and a crowded house, and although the Superintendent, Charles Lose, was unable to be present, yet they had a very interesting program, which consisted of class drills, recitations, discussions, essays, and orations.

Several from this place attended the meetings in the M. E. Church at Benton over Sunday. The church has been repaired, so that it looks like a new church and presents a very neat appearance.

Miss Dillie Hartman is very ill with rheumatism.

### LEGAL MATTERS.

Letters of administration or letters testamentary not advertised in this paper have been granted as follows:

Estate of Pinkerton Drumhill, Catawissa, to E. M. Tewksbury.

Estate of John Glassmeyer, Catawissa, to E. M. Tewksbury.

Estate of Sarah Campbell, to M. K. Appleman, Bloomsburg.

Estate of Ellen M. Crisman, Berwick, to J. C. and F. K. Crisman.

Estate of Daniel Yocum, Bloomsburg, to Alex. Yocum and G. W. Corell.

Letters testamentary have been granted to Sarah J. Brown in the estate of Freas Brown, deceased.

Sheriff sale, property of C. W. Brubaker, on Monday, March 16, at 10 a. m. on the premises in Berwick.

Letters testamentary in estate of David Billman, to Daniel Billman, Locust township.

E. A. Rawlings placed a new Morris & Co. safe in his office last week. It was purchased from G. M. Baker, agent.

### W. C. T. U.

Columbia county W. C. T. U. met in convention in the Lutheran church at Bloomsburg, Feb. 12th and 13th. There were present thirty-two officers and delegates and an unusually large number of visitors. Miss Eva Rupert welcomed the convention in a cordial manner and Mrs. McHenry responded appropriately.

The President, Mrs. Guie, in her address, gave a resume of the work done at the State Connvention, held at Scranton, and earnestly urged the necessity of more zeal and vigor on the part of men and women in the temperance cause.

Superintendents of twelve different departments of work were present and generally reported good work done. The Legislature has been petitioned to close the saloons on Memorial day. Steel's series of text books on Physiology and Hygiene (containing facts on the nature and effects of alcohol and tobacco on the system) for schools, were recommended—school boards and teachers are urged to introduce them. There are three Y. organizations in the county, Millville and Light Street being especially active. There are also three L. T. L.'s, Millville reports sixty members and they work faithfully—like busy bees.

The handsome white and gold banner was displayed during the convention—all contributors and the chairman of the committee, Mrs. Walker, having the work in charge, merit the many compliments elicited by its beauty.

Mrs. Douglas, of Danville, was introduced, and she presented the matter of securing a speaker for temperance day at the Mountain Grove camp-meeting. A committee was appointed to secure Mrs. Barney or Mrs. Hunt, both National Superintendents of departments of work in the W. C. T. U.

The new officers for the ensuing year are Mrs. Reichart, President; Mrs. McHenry, Vice President; Mrs. Annie Trescott, Recording Secretary; Miss Allie Kester, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. M. C. Walker, Treasurer.

Suitable resolutions were drafted. in which were tendered the thanks of the convention, to the trustees for the use of the church, to Mrs. Brooke and the choir for excellent music, to ministers for their presence and encouragement, to the L. T. L's for their pleasant entertainment, and to the ladies of Bloomsburg for their kind reception and generous hospitality.

Thursday evening the entertainment was given principally by the Y's of Millville and Light Street. The recitations were all well rendered, but space does not allow a detailed account. Miss Runyan favored the audience with an organ solo and the Misses Miller sang a fine duett, with their usual ability. The selections rendered by the male quartette both Thursday and Friday evenings, were very much appreciated. On Friday evening in addition to music rendered by the musicians of the previous evening, Miss Chrisman, of Catawissa, sang a beautiful contralto solo. Mrs. Prof. Welsh, in a pleasing manner, recited an extract from Samantha Allen's "Sweet Cicely," with sentiments bearing directly on the temperance question. Mrs. I. K. Miller read a well written essay.

Miss Enola Guie read an essay, the time of writing supposed to be in the year 2000. The essay was a cheering prophecy of the final victory over the liquor traffic by the W. C. T. U. Miss R. Anna Kester read an essay, full of scriptural commands to duty and profs of reward.

We hope with the close of the convention, that the spirit of harmony will continue to prevail and all will earnestly work for God and home and humanity.

SECRETARY.

### OBITUARY.

Mr. Jacob Wampole of New Columbia, who has for a year been suffering from the effects of heart disease, departed this life on Thursday morning the 12th inst., at 1 o'clock, at the age of about 70 years.

He was a man of good reputation, highly esteemed by his friends and neighbors. His funeral services were held on Saturday at 10 a. m. in the Lutheran Church at New Columbia, of which he was a member, his pastor Rev. A. R. Glaze officiating. He leaves a wife and four children, two sons and two daughters to mourn his loss.

It is likely that the Parish Building of St. Paul's Church will be built this year. The Guilds have about three thousand dollars on hand, and a subscription paper now in circulation is being liberally signed. Five thousand dollars is the amount needed, and the prospects are that it will be raised.

### LENGTHY LAWSUIT.

A long, tedious but very important law suit has been dragging itself along through the common pleas court of Schuylkill county since December 8 last year and the end is not in sight. The case involves the title of 193 acres of coal land situate in Union township, Schuylkill county. The plaintiffs are James J. Dull, Daniel Shepp and O. H. Sillman. They are seeking to recover the tract above referred to which is now in the possession of Eckley B. Coxe and others, and the proceedings are in ejectment. The questions involved are the location of surveys and the division of tracts. The surveys in dispute were made years ago, and much time and labor have been expended in researches by the attorneys interested. And there is a brilliant array of legal talent on both sides. John W. Ryon, James Ryon, Casper Dull and George W. Ryon, jr., of Pottsville, and Judge Orvis of Bellefonte represent the plaintiffs. The defendants are represented by Samuel H. Kaercher Esq., and Congressman elect Wolverton of this county. The case was opened for the plaintiffs on December 8, and their testimony is not all in. The defense will consume some time in giving in its evidence, after which will come the summing up by the counsel and the charge of the court, so it is hardly probable that a verdict will be reached before some time in March. After the costs and counsel fees are paid how much of the value of the land will be left?—*Dispatch*.

Samuel Neyhard is a witness in this case, and has been in attendance at court in Pottsville for the past ten weeks, coming home over Sunday.

### The Central Pa. Conference.

WILL ASSEMBLE IN SUNBURY ON WEDNESDAY, MATCH 11th.

This body will hold the twenty-third annual session in Sunbury, beginning March 11, 1891, to last one week. There are five such conferences in Pennsylvania. This one is bounded by Harrisburg on the east, Altoona on the west. Berwick on the north and Chambersburg on the south. It has a membership of 274 ministers, 51,400 lay members, church property valued at $2,478,675; its missionary contributions amounted to nearly $40,000 last year and other connections more than that amount. Its session will be presided over by the Rev. Bishop Fowler, D. D., L. L. D., of San. Francisco, Cal., who like all other Methodist Bishops can preside over any conference of the same church in the world. In addition to the large ministerial membership of this conference, there will be visiting ministers and laymen, such as the Rev J. M. Buckley. D. D., L. L. D., of the *Christian Advocate*, N. Y.; Rev. C. C. McCabe, D. D., noted as a great preacher and singer; Rev. C. H. Payne, D. D., L. L. D., secretary of the Educational Society; Rev. G. E. Reed. D. D., L. L. D., President of Dickinson College; Rev. W. A. Spencer, D. D., of the Church Extension Society, and another noted preacher and singer; Rev. J. S. Chadwick, D. D.; Rev. John Eckman, of the Wyoming Conference; Rev. J. Morrow, D. D.; Rev. R. R Doherty, Ph D., of N. Y, Rev. S. P. Long, of India. Mrs. Mary E. Griffith, of Michigan, and other elect women; Hon H. Price, of Washington, D. C. ex-member of Congress; also a number of other distinguished ministers and laymen from different parts of the world. Pastor Ganoe, whose hands are more than full, says that in addition to the above there may be visitors from adjacent churches to make five or six hundred in all in Sunbury for the space of a week. He is only obligated to care for the three hundred ministers, and has a very efficient committee of eighteen, who are busy securing houses for them, and expresses delight at the way the citizens, without regard to sect. are cordially and fraternally opening their homes and also putting ministers as their guests at the different hotels.

Daniel Steck and wife of Hughesville, visited the latter's mother, Mrs. L. B. Rupert, Saturday and Sunday last. They were just returning from a five months trip in the West. They were as far west as Denver City.

Work was commenced in the Espy boat yard on Monday morning. This is a boon for the town, as the work is expected to continue at full time during the rest of the winter.

Rev. P. A. Heilman pastor of the Lutheran church will deliver a sermon next Sunday morning in the interests of the Patriotic Order Sons of America, it being the anniversary of the order as well as the birthday of Washington.

### ALEXANDER—COHEN.

Mr. Less Alexander, of the firm of Alexander Bros. & Co. was married on Wednesday, February 11th, to Miss Lena, daughter of Mr. Louis Cohen of the same firm. The wedding took place in New York, and after a tour embracing Niagara and other points, the bridal party arrived home on Monday afternoon. A reception was held on Tuesday afternoon from two to six o'clock at the home of the bride's parents on East street, and in the evening a number of intimate friends were entertained. The young mens orchestra was present, and dancing was indulged in. The bride was the recipient of a large number of elegant presents.

Mr. Alexander is a popular young business man, and his many friends tender to him and his bride their warmest congratulations, and wish them a long and happy life.

### JERSEY TOWN.

Miles Smith and family who have been visiting Relative's here for the past week returned to their homes in Milton on Wednesday last.

Mrs. Charles Frut and daughter are visiting Jacob Welliver's at Eyersgrove this week.

Among the callers in our town for the past week were Elmer McBride and wife from Bloomsburg Pa., Mr. Whitmoyer of Jersey City, G. B. and Charles Hendershot from Eyeregrove.

The election passed off very quietly on Tuesday last.

Mr. John Haines lost a valuable horse last week.

Rev. Mr. Port from New Jersey who had been helping Rev. Decker in his meetings at Jersey town and Iola, returned home on Friday last.

Mrs A. W. Decker and son are visiting her brother at Shade Valley, Hunting on Co Pa., who is very ill.

Mr. Wm. Smith took a flying trip to Milton one day last week.

W. H. Brooke & Co. have recently improved the interior of their store greatly. Handsome and rich paper covers the walls and ceiling, the woodwork has been repainted, and the window towards the post-office is cut out to more than double its previous size, thus lighting the rear of the store much better. This firm carries a large line of stationery, wall paper, books, school supplies of all kinds, window curtains, and a general stationer's stock. Mr. Brooke and his popular clerk, Sam Bidleman, are genial salesmen with whom it is a pleasure to deal.

Sheriff Casey sold the property of Frank Watres in Espy on February 7th to B. F. Zarr for $16.

He also sold as Trustee on the same day, the property of Philip Miller, deceased; wharf lot in Espy for 80 cents, quarry lot in Centre to Jesse Hoffman for $50; another lot to same for $250; another lot to same for $315; another lot to same for $575; another lot to same for $525; another lot to John W. Shuman for $52; another lot to same for $11; 112 acres in Main township to Aaron Boone for $90.

The remains of Mrs Dr. Willits of Williamsport were brought here on Tuesday for interment in Rosemont cemetery. She was a daughter of the late Jacob Eyer and a sister of J. K Eyer, Mrs. J. D. Wilson, Mrs. William Pursel and Rev. F. P. Eyer. Her age was 62 years. She was an excellent christian woman and a member of the M. E. Church. Her husband and two daughters survive her.

The Philadelphia *Times* of Tuesday says that Principal F. X. Snyder, of the Indiana Normal School has been nominated by Gov. Pattison for the office of Superintendent of Public Instruction, and will supersede Dr. Waller. This is a mistake. Prof. Snyder has not been appointed by the Governor, and will not be, as Dr. Waller's appointment has been confirmed by the Senate for a term of four years.

The dates fixed for "Queen Esther" have been changed from February 26 and 27, to March 5 and 6. The preparation of the oratorio is progressing nicely, and the best musical talent of town will take part. It promises to be a rare musical treat. Tickets will be on sale at Dentler's on and after the 24th inst. Secure seats early, as the prospects are that the house will be well filled.

Grant Herring desires to announce, that all clients desiring to have business attended to during his absence at the session of the legislature, will find competent persons at his office to attend to the same. Those desiring to see Mr. Herring in person, may do so on Saturday and Monday of each week.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Dora Ringler is quite ill.

Louis Townsend of Carlisle spent Sunday in town with his parents.

Dr. T. J. Swisher, of Jerseytown is reported to be improving in health.

Samuel H. Harman spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Neal were in town over Sunday.

I. K. Miller has moved into his new Centre street residence.

Mrs. Ella Kline visited friends in Ashland recently.

F. M. Gilmore went to Philadelphia to attend a reunion of his regiment on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Wigfall have returned from their wedding tour, and have gone to housekeeping in W. R. Tubbs new house on North Main street.

Willie Lowenberg came home on Tuesday for a visit. He is living at Glens Falls, N. Y. where he holds the responsible position of cashier of the Eagle Clothing company.

G. M. Howell of Van Camp was in town last Saturday. He is the oldest postmaster in the county, having been appointed during President Buchanan's administration, in 1857, and continuing in office ever since.

George Glick of Girardsville is filling the position of mail clerk on the B. & S. R. R. in place of Mr. Sam Brown who is now on the Pennsylvania R. R. between Pittsburg and N. Y.

The officers of the Methodist church have decided to put electric light in the church.

John W. Moore of Orangeville has two good, new, two horse farm wagons for sale. Call and see them if you want a good wagon.

But one case will be heard in the Supreme Court from Wyoming county this year. There are but two on the list from Columbia county.

J. R. Schuyler &. Co. have put a skylight in the rear of their store. It lights the room up much better, and is a decided improvement.

There will be a quarterly meeting at the A. M. E. Church next Sunday, Feb. 22nd. Services at 10:30 a. m. Communion at 3 p. m., 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend.

B. Stohner has sold his restaurant to Deitterick Bros. and possession was delivered last Monday. Mr. Stohner and family will move out about March 1st, and will go into the house on Iron street now occupied by James Reilly.

The result of Tuesday's election in town was a decided victory for the progressive element. Old members of council who leaned the other way were not renominated in the party caucuses. Nobody wants extravagance in the management of municipal affairs, but the majority of the people here are eviedently in favor of substantial progress.

William Kase West of Danville, District Attorney of Montour county, was married to Miss Ella Patterson of the same place on February 12th. The ceremony took place in the Mahoning Presbyterian church, and was performed by Dr. D. J. Waller Jr. Mr. West is one of the leading attorneys of Danville. We extend to him our warmest congratulations.

Freas Brown left a will in which he gave all his property to his widow, and appoints her sole executrix. Last Friday Mrs. Brown made a contract with T. L. Gunton for a monument to cost $3200. It is to be a sarcophagus, of American granite, the base will be five feet by seven feet, with 200 cubic feet of masonry. Mr. Gunton went to Vermont on Saturday to place the order. This will be the handsomest and most expensive monument in this section. It is said that Mr. Brown gave directions concerning the monument before his death.

An accident occurred last Saturday which threatened to be very serious. A team of horses in a carriage, belonging to Harry Deimer, was tied to an awning post in front of C. A. Kleim's drug store. The wind blew an empty pasteboard box along the pavement in front of the team, they became frightened and making a sudden plunge tore out the awning post. Before anyone could reach them, they started up Main street, dragging the post with them. At Moyer Bros. Drug store the team was caught and the post removed. Nothing was broken about the carriage.

# VISITING THE SHAKERS.

SELECTIONS FROM THE WRITINGS OF ARTEMUS WARD.

**The Pretty Girls Who "Yay'd" at the Offer of a Kiss, and the Brother Who Denounced the Humorist as a Man of Sin—Unsolicited Advice Given.**

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II.

THE SHAKERS.

"HE Shakers is the strangest religious sex I ever met. I'd hearn tell of 'em and I'd seen 'em, with their broad brim'd hats and long wastid coats; but I'd never cum into immejit contack with 'em, and I'd sot 'em down as lackin intelleck, as I'd never seen 'em to my Show—leastways, if they cum they was disgised in white peple's close, so I didn't know 'em.

But in the Spring of 18—, I got swampt in the exterior of New York State, one dark and stormy night, when the winds Blue pityusly, and I was forced to tie up with the Shakers.

I was toilin threw the mud, when in the dim vister of the futur I obsarved the gleams of a taller candle. Tiein a hornet's nest to my off hoss's tail to kinder encourage him, I soon reached the place. I knockt at the door, which it was opened unto me by a tall, slick faced, solum lookin individooal, who turn'd out to be a Elder.

"Mr. Shaker," sed I, "you see before you a Babe in the woods, so to speak, and he axes shelter of you."

"Yay," sed the Shaker, and he led the way into the house, another Shaker bein sent to put my hosses and waggin under kiver.

A solum female, lookin sumwhat like last year's beanpole stuck into a long meal bag, cum in and axed me was I athurst and did I hunger? to which I urbanely anserd "a few." She went orf and I endevered to open a conversashun with the old man.

"Elder, I spect?" sed I.

"Yay," he said.

"Helth's good, I reckon?"

"Yay."

"What's the wages of a Elder, when he understans his bizness—or do you devote your sarvices gratooitus?"

"Yay."

"Stormy night, sir."

"Yay."

"If I may be so bold, kind sir, what's the price of that pecooler kind of wesket you wear, incloodin trimmins?"

"Yay!"

I pawsd a minit, and then, thinkin I'd be faseshus with him and see how that would go, I slapt him on the shoulder, bust into a harty larf, and told him that as a *yayer* he had no livin ekal.

He jumped up as if Bilin water had bin squirted into his ears, groaned, rolled his eyes up tords the sealin and sed: "You're a man of sin!" He then walkt out.

Just then the female in the meal bag stuck her hed into the room and statid that refreshments awaited the weary traveler, and I followed her into the next room.

I sot down to the table and the female in the meal bag poured out sum tea. She sed nothin, and for five minutes the only live thing in that room was a old wooden clock, which tickt in a subdood and bashful manner in the corner. This dethly stillness made me oneasy, and I determined to talk to the female or bust. So sez I, "Marriage is agin your rules, I bleeve, marm?"

"Yay."

"The sexes liv strickly apart, I spect?"

"Yay."

"It's kinder singler," sez I, puttin on my most sweetest look and speakin in a winnin voice, "that so fair a made as thou never got hitched to some likely feller."

"I don't like men!" s'ie sed, very short.

"Wall, I dunno," sez I, "they're a rayther important part of the populashun."

"Us poor wimin folks would git along a grate deal better if there was no men!"

"You'll excoos me, marm, but I don't think that air would work."

"I'm afraid of men!" she sed.

"That's onnecessary, marm. *You* ain't in no danger. Don't fret yourself on that pint."

"Here we're shot out from the sinful world. Here all is peas. Here we air brothers and sisters. No wicked matrimony here. Would thou like to be a Shaker?"

"No," sez I, "it ain't my stile."

I had now histed in as big a load of pervishuns as I could carry comfortable, and, leanin back in my cheer, commenst pickin my teeth with a fork. The female went out, leavin me all alone with the clock. I hadn't sot thar long before the Elder poked his hed in at the door. "You're a man of sin!" he sed, and groaned and went away.

Directly thar cum in two young Shakeresses, as putty and slick lookin gals as I ever met.

They comenst clearin away the dishes, castin shy glances at me all the time. I got excited. I forgot Betsy Jane in my rapter, and sez I, "my pretty dears, how air you?"

"We air well," they solumly sed.

"Whar's the old man?" sed I, in a soft voice.

"Of whom dost thow speak—Brother Uriah?"

"I mean the gay and festiv cuss who calls me a man of sin. Shouldn't wonder if his name was Uriah?"

"He has retired."

"Wall my pretty dears," sez I, "let's have sum fun. Let's play puss in the corner. What say?"

"Air you a Shaker, sir?" they axed.

"Wall my pretty dears, I haven't arrayed my prond form in a long weskit yit, but if they was all like you perhaps I'd jine 'em. As it is, I'm a Shaker protemporary."

They was full of fun. I seed that at fust, only they was a leetle skeery. I tawt 'em Puss in the corner and sich like plase, and we had a nice time, keeping quiet of course so the old man shouldn't hear. When we broke up, sez I, "my pretty dears, ear I go you hav no objections, hav you, to an innersent kiss at partin?"

"Yay," they sed, and I *yay'd*.

I went up stairs to bed. I spose I'd been snoozin half an hour when I was woke up by a noise at the door. I sot up in bed, leanin on my elbers and rubbin my eyes, and I saw the follerin picter: The Elder stood in the doorway, with a taller candle in his hand. He hadn't no wearin appeerel on except his night close, which flattered in the breeze. He sed, "You're a man of sin!" then groaned and went away.

I went to sleep agin, and drempt of runnin orf with the pretty little Shakeresses mounted on my Californy Bar. I was woke up arly by the Elder. He sed refreshments was reddy for me down stairs. Then sayin I was a man of sin, he went groanin away.

As I was goin threw the entry to the room where the witles was, I cum across the Elder and the old female I'd met the night before, and what d'ye spose they was up to? Huggin and kissin like young lovers in their gushingist state. Sez I, "My Shaker frends, I reckon you'd better suspend the rules and git married."

"You must excoos Brother Uriah," sed the female; "he's subjeck to fits and hain't got no command over hisself when he's into 'em."

"Sartinly," sez I, "I've bin took that way myself frequent."

"You're a man of sin!" said the Elder.

After breakfust my little Shaker frends cum in agin to clear away the dishes.

"My pretty dears," sez I, "shall we *yay* agin?"

"Nay," they sed, and I *nay'd*.

The Shakers axed me to go to their meetin, as they was to hav sarvices that mornin, so I put on a clean biled rag and went. The meetin house was as neat as a pin. The floor was white as chalk and smooth as glass. The Shakers was all on hand, in clean weskits and meal bags, ranged on the floor like milingtery companies, the mails on one side of the room and the females on tother. They commenst clappin their hands and singin and dancin. They danced kinder slow at fust, but as they got warmed up they shaved it down very brisk, I tell you. Elder Uriah, in particler, exhiberted a right smart chance of spryness in his legs, considerin his time of life, and as he cum a dubble shuffle near where I sot, I rewarded him with a approvin smile and sed: "Hunky boy! Go it, my gay and festiv cuss!"

"Your'e a man of sin!" he sed, continnerin his shuffle.

The Sperret, as they called it, then moved a short fat Shaker to say a few remarks. He sed they was Shakers and all was ekal. They was the purest and Seleckest peple on the yearth. Other peple was sinful as they could be, but Shakers was all right. Shakers was all goin kerslap to the Promist Land, and nobody want going to stand at the gate to bar 'em out, if they did they'd git run over.

The Shakers then danced and sung agin, and arter they was threw, one of 'em axed me what I thwat of it.

Sez I, "What duz it siggerfy?"

"What?" sez he.

"Why this jumpin up and singin? This long weskit bizniss, and this antymatrimony idee? My frends, you air neat and tidy. Your lands is flowing with milk and honey. Your brooms is fine, and your apple sass is honest. When a man buys a keg of apple sass of you he don't find a grate many shavins under a few layers of sass—a little Game I'm sorry to say sum of my New Euglan ancesters used to practiss. Your garding seed is fine, and if I should sow 'em on the rock of Gibralter probly I should raise a good mess of garding sass. You air honest in your dealins! You air quiet and don't distarb nobody. For all this I givs you credit. But your religion is small pertaters, I must say. You mope away your lives here in single retchidness, and as you air all by yourselves nothin ever conflicks with your pecooler idees, except when Human Nater busts out among you, as I understan she sumtimes do. [I giv Uriah a sly wink here, which made the old fellow squirm like a speared Eel.]

"You wear long weskits and long faces, and lead a gloomy life indeed. No children's prattle is ever hearn around your harthstuns—you air in a dreary fog all the time, and you treat the jolly sunshine of life as tho' it was a thief, drivin it from your doors by them weskits, and meal bags, and pecooler noshuns of yourn. The gals among you, sum of which air as slick pieces of caliker as I ever sot eyes on, air syin to place their heds agin weskits which kiver honest, manly harts, while you old heds fool yerselves with the idee that they air fulfillin their mishun here, and air contented. Here you air all pend up by yerselves, talkin about the sins of a world you don't know nothin of.

Meanwhile said world continners to resolve round on her own axeltree onct in every 24 hours, subjeck to the Constitution of the United States, and is a very pleasant place of residence. It's a unnatral, onreasonable and dismal life your'e leadin here. So it strikes me. My Shaker frends, I now bid you a welcome adoo. You have treated me exceedin well. Thank you kindly, one and all."

"A base exhibit of depraved monkeys and onprincipled wax works!" saed Uriah.

"Hello, Uriah," sez I, "I'd most forgot you. Wall, look out for them fits of yourn, and don't catch cold and die in the flour of your youth and beauty."

And I rescomed my jerney.

## THE COMING MILLIONS.

Jim Croker lived far in the woods, a solitary place,
Where the bushes grew, like whiskers, on his unrazored face;
And the black bear was his brother, and the catamount his chum,
And Jim he lived and waited for the millions yet to come.

Jim Croker made a clearing and he sowed it down to wheat,
And he filled his lawn with cabbage and he planted it with beet;
And it blossomed with potatoes, and with peach and pear and plum,
And Jim he lived and waited for the millions yet to come.

Then Jim he took his ancient axe and cleared a forest street,
While he lived on bear and succotash and young opossum meat,
And his rhythmic axe strokes sounded and the woods no more were dumb,
While he cleared a crooked highway for the millions yet to come.

Then they came like nimble stragglers, they came from far and near,
A little log house settlement grew round the pioneer;
And the sound of saw and broadaxe made a glad industrial hum,
Jim said, "The Coming Millions, they have just begun to come."

And a little crooked railway wound round mountain, hill, and lake,
Crawling toward the forest village like an undulating snake;
And one morn the locomotive puffed into the wilderness,
And Jim said "The Coming Millions, they are coming by express."

And the village grew and prospered, but Jim Croker's hair was grayer;
When they got a city charter, and old Jim was chosen Mayor;
But Jim declined the honor, and moved his household goods
Far away into the forerst, to the old primeval woods.

Far and far into the forest moved the grizzled pioneer,
There he reared his hut and murmured, "I will build a city here,"
And he hears the woolfox barking, and he hears the partridge drum,
And the old man sits and listens for the millions yet to come.

—[S. W. Foss, in Yankee Blade.

## THE FUNNY MAN.

**Some Are Born, Some Are Made, and Some Ought to Die.**

However, those who have seen much of the inside life of comic journals and other journals with comic departments know that this kind of work, like pretty much every other kind, may be made almost completely mechanical. There is a regulation way to make a joke—that is to say, a regulation joke. Of course, genuine humor and positive wit transcend all rules, and the great jester is born, not made. But for all that, there have been professional funny men who hadn't a grain of wit in their composition. For instance, it is well known that the proprietor of a certain great New York daily newspaper has a habit of mixing his editors all up periodically, to prevent them from sliding into ruts, and to give each department the benefit of fresh ideas (and fresh ignorance) from time to time he changes his men all about, transferring the sporting editor to the financial department, setting the live stock reporter at work writing political editorials, and so on.

Now it chanced that in one of the mix-ups the funny column fell to the lot of a reporter who did not know a joke from a logarithm—who had no more sense of humor than a haystack. He was accustomed to obey, however, and he went to work making jokes. His first attempts were something wonderful to read. People with pale faces stopped one another on the street, pointed out with trembling fingers these jokes, and asked if they really read as they had read them; and when they were answered that they did, they drew deep breaths of relief and passed on. Friends of the proprietor of the paper begged him to make a change, and declared to him that there were some things that the paper could not stand. But he adhered to his program and kept the man at work, and in the course of time the new funny man made jokes that were copied in other papers for jokes, and became an admired member of the National Paragraphers' Association.

**How Time Has Changed Her.**

One day last week a customer in one of the large Brooklyn dry goods stores stood waiting for her turn to be served and idly watching the woman who was claiming the attention of the clerk at the moment. There was nothing about her to attract a second glance. She looked to be close upon 60 years of age, her hair was very gray, though not white, and a pair of rather dark eyes looked out from a colorless unimpressive face. In figure she was short and small, and the black costume she wore was simple to plainness. Yet when she gave her name and address for a parcel to be sent it was realized that this little woman of insignificant appearance was one whose name 18 years ago was in everybody's mouth from one end of the country to the other, and whose personality at that time was almost as well known as her name. She was Mrs. Theodore Tilton.—[New York Times.

**Facts About the Queen of Sheba.**

It's rather late to learn the truth about the Queen of Sheba. Nevertheless, the Academy of Inscriptions is greatly exercised about this subject. One of its members thinks that he has discovered that Sheba was in Arabia, and that the queen was the mother of Aben Solomon, who founded a kingdom in Ethiopia. She went to Jerusalem on conquest bent, and would have liked to stay there. But the wise Hebrew thought she would be hard to manage, and a more useful ally in her own country. He therefore sent her back laden with presents and fired with ambitious projects. We may expect one of these days to see her personated by Sara Bernhardt in an Old Testament drama by Sardou.—[London Truth.

**Convinced.**

O'Hooligan—He tould me to move on. "Oi'd hov yez to know oi'm a gintlemon," sez oi. "Prove it," sez he. "Oi will," sez oi. An' wid thot I showed him a wad uv unpaid bills oi had in me pocket.

Smithers—And what did he say?

O'Hooligan—The shpalpane apolygized.


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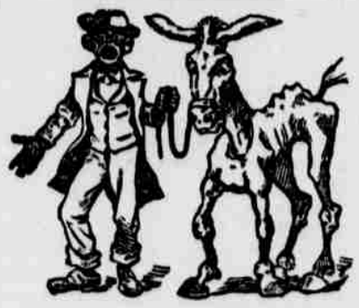

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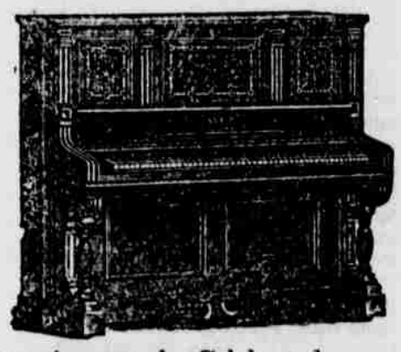

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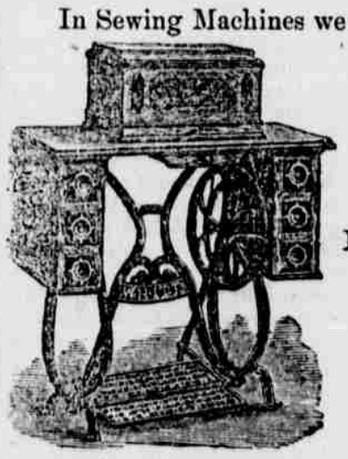

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## EATING BEFORE SLEEPING.

Eating before sleeping, now so generally recommended by physicians to those troubled by insomnia resulting from nervous trouble, is not a very difficult prescription to fill, but the determination of the question just what to eat is not infrequently puzzling. One who has experimented for years names a glass of warm milk as a good night cap for many, while for people who have a tendency to biliousness it will not do at all. To the latter buttermilk, not too cold, is said to be the best of night-caps. Warm milk with vichy is also recommended. Oranges and, to a certain extent, hot and sour lemonade are good for all. On this point the journal of the American Medical Association says: "Most students and women who are troubled with insomnia are dyspeptic, they should, therefore eat before going to bed, having put aside work entirely at least an hour before. If they are not hungry they should simply be instructed to eat, and it they are hungry they should eat whatever they want. A glass of milk and a biscuit is sometimes all that can be taken at first, or mashed potatoes, buttered.—*From the Cincinatti Commercial Gazette.*

## A Sullivan County Girl.

SHE HAS A PET DEER THAT FOLLOWS HER LIKE MARY'S LAMB.

Miss Margaret Waterman, a rosy-cheeked country maiden of twenty-two is the mistress of a handsome pet, says an exchange. She is the oldest daughter of Farmer Clarence L. Waterman, whose broad acres table on the hillsides of the lower part of Jackson Hollow, Sullivan county, Pa., and her pet is a beautiful tame buck named Byron. Miss Waterman caught Byron when he was a very young fawn. That was two years ago last Spring, and from that day to this Byron has never followed anyone except his fair captor. She teaches the district school, and her handsome pet accompanies her to the school house in the morning, browses in the nearby woodland, and rests himself until school is out, when he canters out of the thicket, bounds to the side of his mistress, licks her hand, and walks home with her. Dogs give Byron all the roadway, for if they don't he pitches at them, gives them a clip with his sharp hoofs and sends them off yelping. Byron sticks to Miss Waterman closer than a brother, and whenever she goes to the village they shut him up in a pen. During her absence he is unhappy, and when she returns and liberates him he bleats for joy, licks her hands, and romps about as though he had been imprisoned a month.

## Cameron Voted as the Farmers Believe.

Senator Cameron can bear the howlings of the radical politicians against his course in the United States Senate in voting to set aside the Federal election bill, in order to take up other business necessary to the welfare of the country. The great majority of the farmers of Pennsylvania are heartily tired of hearing about this impractical bill which has consumed so much of the time of both houses of Congress to the detriment of other important measures. Senator Cameron has also voted on the silver question in accordance with the views of the great body of Patrons of Husbandry in the United States, as repeatedly expressed by resolutions of the National Grange and different State Granges.

The Senator's position shows an independence of the opinions of radical politicians which is highly commendable, and the great majority of the people of Pennsylvania will be glad to know that for six years to come they will have a United States Senator who can rise above mere partisan legislation.—*From the Mechanicsburg Farmer's Friend.*

## Knew His Denomination Even in Stamps.

Constituents make a great mistake in sending new and inexperienced men to the Legislature every session or two. They not only do an injustice to themselves but to the State at large. It takes a bright man to "catch onto" the ways of legislation in one session, and until he is initiated he is like a blind pup at a barn raising—only in the way. Some of the raw material from the rural districts will be a long time in developing into Clays and Websters. As a sample of their unsophisticatedness, a member from a western county, when he received his order for postage stamps, went to the city post office and asked for them.

"What denomination?" asked the clerk.

"Lutheran," replied the member modestly, but he could not for the life of him see what that had to do with the matter in hand.—*Harrisburg Correspondent in Bradford Era.*

Hicks—"Why is it that there is never a match in this house?" Mrs. Hicks—"I can't make matches!" Hicks—"That's strange; your mother could!"—*N. Y. Herald.*

Eva Hamilton has laid aside her weeds. She is quite bothered at the thought of mourning so much over a man who wasn't her husband and who is, probably, not dead enough to justify the use of much crape.

The following lines were written on the death of Henry Sitler, of Waller, who died January 3d, 1891, aged 56 years, 10 months, 7 days

Call not back the dear departed
Anchored safe where storms are o'er,
On the border land we left them,
Soon to meet and part no more.

When we leave this world of changes,
When we leave this world of care,
We shall find our missing loved ones
In our Father's mansion fair.

While you lived with us, dear father,
Thou didst suffer great distress,
But you have left us and our mother
And gone home there to be blessed.

You have left me, dearest husband
And have gone with Christ to dwell;
Tis God that hath bereft me,
He can all my sorrow heal.

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## A Dog's Teeth Filled With Gold.

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Mrs. P. T. Barnum is forty; her husband is double that age. She was a Miss Fish, of Bury, Lancashire, England, the daughter of a prominent cotton manufacturer, and a beauty well known all through the county Palatine; and, though Barnum may believe that there are "as good fish in the sea as ever were caught," he couldn't have hooked a prettier Fish than the one he brought to land with a matrimonial hook.

Councilor's Widow (meeting her old cook)—I hear you have got married Pauline?

"Yes, ma'am."

"Well, what is your husband by trade?"

"A chimney sweep, ma'am."

"That's very little, Pauline!"

"Still, ma'am, I thinks as how a live chimney sweep is a lot better than a dead councilor."—*Cri-Cri.*

Office Boy—Please, sir, my cold's dat bad I can't hardly stand it, an' my head aches like blazes, an'—an' I've got a terrible sore hand, an' my neck's stiff, an' I got a sty comming over one eye, an de udder one's weak, an'—an'

Employer—That will do, James. The skating must be pretty good to make you have so many ailments as that!—*Boston Traveler.*

"Here is your ring. There are your presents. Leave me at once," said she.

"You have forgotton one thing," said he.

"And that?"

"The ring and presents cost $468. I want 6 per cent. interest on that for three months."—*Epoch.*

Mrs. Newwed—Have some of the pie, Mr. Oldboy; I made it myself.

Mr. Oldboy (guest)—Um—I thank you, but I seldom eat pie.

Mr. Newwed—Don't be afraid of it, my old friend: it's all right. I tried it on a tramp.—*New York Weekly.*

"Alas, Alas!" the dude exclaims, "in my slender ankle I've got pains." "Don't fret," said ma, for whom he had sent, "I have some Salvation oil."

"My time is up," said the doctor to the patient, whom he found using Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and he was correct, for his cough had been cured.

Representative Fritz, of the Third Luzerne District, has introduced a bill in the Legislature providing for the appointment of a commission by the Governor, consisting of eleven miners (of not less than seven years' experience in the anthracite coal mines), three coal operators and two skilled mining engineers, said commission to revise, amend and make such changes in anthracite mining and ventilation laws as are necessary to the preservation of human life and property.

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## ALASKA'S BEARS.

**The Land Is a Paradise for the Hunter of the Grizzly.**

To the bear hunter the wilds of Alaska offer a paradise that can be found in no other country on the globe, as it is attested by the yearly shipments of hides. The most chosen are those of the black bear, which roam the woods by hundreds, and prime skins bring from $25 up to as high as $100 each in the market. During the excursion season tourists from all parts of the globe make a thriving trade for Alaska merchants in the bear skin line.

There are five distinct species of the bear in Alaska—the black, brown or cinnamon, and a cross, which inhabit all portions of southeastern Alaska and the upper portion of the Yukon country. Further north, in the St. Elias Alps, is the home of a grizzly which in size, ferocity, and color much resembles the grizzlies of the Sierra Nevadas, and still further north, along the lower reaches of the Yukon and the ice fields of the Arctic Ocean, is the white polar bear. As brave and skillful in hunting bear as the Alaska Indian is, he seldom hunts the St. Elias grizzly, both because there is little profit in the hides and the great size and ferocity of the beasts make hunting them a most hazardous undertaking.

Their mode of killing them is by shooting into them from a heavily charged smooth bore musket a heavy slug of lead, copper, or iron, then awaiting their charge, which never fails to follow the shot, with a long, heavy, and strongly made spear, resting the butt of the weapon on the ground and planting one foot firmly against it. The point of the spear rests at an angle to pierce the bear in the breast, and the bear's own weight, when it strikes the spear in its mad charge, is calculated to drive the weapon through him or pierce him deep enough to cause death. As will be readily seen, if at this critical moment the hunter's courage should fail him, or by a miscalculation the spear failed to impale the charging beast, the hunter would be knocked senseless and immediately torn into shreds. This mode of bear hunting may have its advantages, but only the Alaska Indian has the courage to try the experiment.

## Every Man His Own Grave Digger.

General Winfield Scott had no feelings of compassion for dissipated men and had his own ideas as to the proper remedy for intemperance. One of his military orders, given when he was in command at Rock Island, in 1832, which has been discovered in the Iowa State library, throws some light on his peculiar notions on this subject. The order is copied in full in the current number of the Magazine of American History and relates to the appearance of cholera among the soldiers at Rock Island and to the sanitary measures to be pursued. Various precautions in the way of cleanliness, the use of flannel clothing, etc., are recommended on the authority of the physicians, but, the order continues: "The commanding general, who has seen much of the disease, knows that it is intemperance which, in the present state of the atmosphere, generates and spreads the calamity, and that, when once spread, good and temperate men are likely to take the infection. He therefore imperatively commands that every soldier or ranger who shall be found drunk or sensibly intoxicated after the publication of this order be compelled as soon as his strength will permit, to dig a grave at a suitable burying place large enough for his own reception, as such a grave can not fail soon to be wanted for the drunken man himself or some drunken companion. This order is given as well to serve for the punishment of drunkenness as to spare good and temperate men the labor of digging graves for their worthless companions."

## Snake Swallowed the Baby.

George Wharton, of Brown county, tells a blood curdling snake story. Mrs. William Huxelly, living in a log cabin, was making soap in the back yard, having kissed her sweet little 6 months babe to sleep in the cradle. Presently the baby screamed, and she rushed in and was horror stricken to find a hideous blacksnake of enormous size trying to swallow the child. It had engulfed the hand and swallowed it up to the arm pit and was writhing in its contortions and efforts to make further progress. Grasping the hideous reptile in the middle, it seemed to relax its hold and disgorge the child's arm, then turned upon its mother. She dashed it to the floor, and in her wild frenzy stamped it to death. It proved to be of the black racer species, 7 feet 2 inches long, and measuring 6½ inches in circumference. The babe lived, and the only inconvenience it suffered from its terrible experience was that its arm and hand were blistered as if scalded in hot water. —[Cincinnati Enquirer.

## Latest Form of Rubber Pavement.

The municipal authorities of Brussels have decided to experiment on the new compound "caoutchous macadam." A portion of one of the principal yards of the city is being paved with this material. The compound consists of a mixture of India rubber and different kinds of stones ground up together and converted into a sort of cement by means of heat. The material is stated to be hard, elastic, and durable, and to be unchanged by either heat or cold. It is anticipated that it will prove extremely well adapted for running tracks and lawn tennis courts.

## Unselfishness.

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Ex-governor Beaver has resumed the practice of law at Bellefonte.

Senator Herring has introduced a bill intended to cure an anomalous condition of things in the mines of Sullivan county. These mines produce a semi-bituminous coal, but great difficulty is experienced in mining the mineral because the anthracite miners are not familiar with the way in which bituminous coal is worked, and the bituminous miners cannot undergo a successful examination under the anthracite mining laws. The consequence is that no adequate means exist to develope the coal in the indicated mines. The purpose of the bill is to exempt men who would be willing to operate in these mines from the requirements of the anthracite miners' examination law and place them under the act relative to the examination of bituminous coal miners.

## WASHINGTON LETTER.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Washington. D. C. Feb. 16, 1891.

Mr. Cleveland's letter against the free and unlimited independent coinage of silver did not create the excitement in Congress that the sensational newspapers have said it did. In the first place the views expressed by Mr Cleveland are precisely those held by him and publicly expressed just before his inauguration as President in 1885, so that a reiteration of them was no surprise to those acquainted with the man. Of course there are differences of opinion among democrats in Congress as to the wisdom of having taken this time to reiterate them, but Mr. Cleveland's friends point to the fact that he did not do so until asked to take part in the anti-silver meeting in New York. They say that if he had not given his opinion in answer to that invitation he would have been open to the charge of cowardice, and everybody knows that there is nothing approaching cowardice in Grover Clevelands make up.

Many eminent democratic Senators and Representatives in their disappointment at seeing the last hope of the passage of the free coinage bill by the House at this session vanish, as it did with the publication of Mr. Cleveland's letter, said, upon the spur of the moment, things which upon cool second thoughts they will probably regret. Mr. Cleveland may or may not be the nominee of the democratic party next year, but it does not appear probable to an unprejudiced mind that his expressing a personal opinion, which he was well known to hold, eighteen months before the meeting of the national convention of the party would absolutely eliminate him from the presidential field. "Successful politics" said a democratic Senator to-day "are always practical and if when the convention meets its members shall be of the opinion that Mr. Cleveland is the strongest man he will receive the nomination, otherwise not; and the rank and file of the party, who want the man nominated that can win, not any particular man, will ratify the choice of the convention, whoever he may be. A year and a half is a good while. Let us all keep cool and meet the issues when they confront us. Nothing is to be gained, but much can be lost, by being precipitate."

Washington, where both men had many warm friends, was greatly shocked by the deaths of Admiral Porter and Gen Sherman, one on Friday and the other on Saturday, and many kind and loving regrets have been expressed by all classes. By order of Mr Harrison all of the departments will be closed tomorrow,—the day of Admiral Porter's funeral, and it is expected that Congress will adjourn as a mark of respect. He will be buried with military honors at Arlington cemetery in a spot selected by himself not long ago. With the death of these two men the last of the great Union commanders of the civil war have passed away, and with both of them dies the highest rank in their respective branches of the service—Admiral of the navy and General of the army.

The enemies of civil serice reform, as one is run by the preset Commissioners, came very near succeeding in a flank movement in the House, the object of which was to cut off the supplies of the commission by reducing the appropriation for the hire of clerks. The movement failed, but it resulted in some plain talk about the manner in which the commission works that could not have been pleasing to the commissioners.

There are certain indications of the near approach of the junketing season coming in sight. Mr Harrison is preparing to make a thirty day tour of the Pacific coast in the private car of the would-be Presidential candidate of the Farmers Alliance. Senator Stanford, and the Senate, has by resolution authorized two committees—Naval affairs, and Canadian Relations—to travel around at Government expense next summer. Senator Plumb stirred up the bile of some of the members of the latter committee by saying that he met the committee in California last fall and felt inclined to present it with a map so that it could find out where Canada was.

The Interior department was closed at noon to-day in respect to the memory of ex-Secretary A. H. H. Stuart whose funeral took place at Staunton, Virginia.

Mr. Harrison has not yet demanded the resignation of Pension commissioner Raum, notwithstanding his unfitness for the office, which was fully proven, in spite of the efforts of the republicans on the committee to shield him, by the late investigation.

The Senate has succeeded in tangling up the copyright bill so badly that it will not get straightened out at this session.

Senator Vorhees, who has been quite ill is slowly getting better. Senator Hearst's condition remains unchanged.

No one appears now to anticipate an extra session of congress this spring although of course it is possible. There is a rumor that the republicans of the Senate are going to try to rush the Force bill through during the closing hours of the session, but I don't think there is anything in it.

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### The Legislature

Mr. Flannery, of Luzerne, introduced a bill in the house Friday to protect anthracite coal miners by properly weighing coal. It makes 2.240 pounds a ton. He also introduced a bill providing that national guard organization in towns of less 15,000 be given $200 a year for armory rent, the same amount as is given guardsmen in cities with a larger population.

Captain Skinner introduced the bill providing for an appropriation for the soldiers orphans' schools. The amount is $17,000.

Mr Wherry, of Cumberland, offered a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of three members and two senators whose duty it will be to make an investigation of the present methods of supervising the charitable and correctisnal institutions to consider the advisability of abolishing the state board of charities, with its committees on lunacy and the practicability of establishing in place thereof a state department to be known as the department of supervision. Consideration of the resolution was postponed for the present.

A resolution offered by Mr. Mullen of Erie was adopted, requesting the Pennsylvania senators and congressmen to support Senator Quay's disability pension bill.

A number of bills on first reading were disposed of, and the house adjourned until Wednesday evening.

## A Railroad Suit Decided.

JUDGE METZGER'S OPINION IN FAVOR OF THE WILLIAMSPORT & NORTH BRANCH.

Judge Metzger has filed an opinion sustaining the decision of the master in the suit between the Williamsport & North Branch and the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad Companies. The matter has been in litigation over a year, and grew out of the efforts of the latter to prevent the former from effecting an entrance into Williamsport.

The Williamsport & North Branch backed by the Lehigh Valley, had lines surveyed, and preparations were being made to begin construction, when the Philadelphia & Erie laid switches near the point of intersection, which resulted in an impassable barrier. Owing to the importance of the operations, and the well-known desire of the Lehigh Valley to get into Williamsport, the legal battle was begun on a large scale, and for a time injunctions were flying thick and fast. At last the matter was referred to J. A. Beeber, master, to take testimony. His report was in favor of the Williamsport & North Branch, and after a careful review, was sustained by the Court.

As the dispute now stands, it is probable that the Supreme Court will have to pass finally before a full settlement is effected.

It is claimed that if the proposed line is built it may be the connecting link in what will ultimately be a through line, passing through Williamsport, affording an outlet to the Beech Creek and Fall Brook lines, and at the same time giving the Lehigh Valley an outlet to the West.

## MEMBERS DISAGREE.

When House Bill No. 30, requiring school directors to be sworn or affirmed before entering upon their duties was before the House, the following discussion took place between Messrs Tewksbury and Krickbaum.

We quote from the *Legislature Record*:

*Mr. Tewksbury*—It seems to me there is no necessity for this bill. First school directors are an unpaid body of men. They do not need to be qualified or sworn, in my judgment. As I say, they are unpaid and I see no reason why a body of men who are doing so much work for nothing shall be obliged to pay for having the oath administered to them. This bill makes no provision for this expense, and another reason, we are multiplying the requirements of officers when we provide that they shall be sworn to every trifling affair that occurs and there by, it seems to me, the solemnity of an oath is being very much lessened in our Commonwealth.

*Mr. Krickbaum*—Mr Speaker, my colleague, I think, is wrong. He is right on the face of things; he is not right in detail. When anybody tells me that the office of school director is worth nothing he is simply mistaken. It is worth something I tell you. I know of places in my own county—and I do not need to go out of his township—(looking at Mr. Tewksbury) where there have been contests for school director and for the office of secretary and treasurer of the board. *They generally want to be treasurer for the purpose of getting the two per cent, and that is what they want to be school directors for.*

*Mr. Tewksbury*—Mr. Speaker, I hate to lock horns with my colleague, especially when we have got to go into detail, and I have never been a school director in my county at all and my colleague has. He ought to know very much more about school matters in general than I do, perhaps, but I think I know as much about school affairs in the township in which I live—Catawissa—as he does I do not believe it is true that there is a disposition upon the part of our people to get into the school board for the sake of making a miserable little two per cent, out of it.

I believe that the people of our township, (and as he has referred to my township I think I have a right to defend her,) have the best schools, the best school houses, the best managed schools in the whole county, and we believe as good as there is in the State. And, sir, our school directors are not sworn. They may do some swearing some times, but they manage their affairs in their own way under the law. There would be an opportunity if this act should become a law for some person through spleen or spite, or, as Josh Billings used to say, pure cussedness, to swear falsely in order that there might be a forfeiture of the State appropriation. It is a very grave item [laughter], a very great item in our State appropriation, inasmuch as we expect to have that appropriation increased by the House to about $4,000,000. We want to be in a position so that no person, either through meanness or cussedness, can get us into a position that we cannot obtain that State appropriation. We want to keep the schools of townships at their present high standing. We believe that under the present law we will get upon our board men who are competent to serve—when I say competent, I mean people who have large broad-guage views on public questions, and not little matter fellows who want to get into the school board to make the little two per cent; but rather men who are willing to do their duty without regard to the pay and do their duty without fear of reward or hope of punishment. [Laughter and applause.]

*Mr. Krickbaum*—Mr. Speaker, I have no interest in this bill. What I said was all in kindness, and I know it to be true. I know that when a school director makes one hundred and fifty dollars, three hundred dollars, four hundred dollars or five hundred dollars a term out of his office that there is something in it And that is what they do not very far from where we live. I want to correct my friend in one thing. He says in the township of Catawissa they have no trouble. I know of one director who told me within a year that he had settled a difficulty with relation to their school directors. That they had fixed the salary at fifty dollars, and then they could divide up or take—[choked off.]

The Clearfield county real estate of Ex-Senator Wallace has been sold at Sheriff's sale. The whole amount realized by the sale was $30,000. This is subject to mortgages and liens amounting to about $130,000. The proceeds of the sale go to judgments confessed prior to the assignment—a total of $73,000.

The property can be sold at private sale on time, with interest, and applied in payment of other debts for much more than this. It was mainly bought by Thomas L. Wallace, of Harrisburg. Ex-Senator Wallace as his agent, will manage the property to pay prior liens and other debts. He is sanguine he can pay all. No part of the large coal property of 5,200 acres was sold.

## GENERAL SHERMAN.

General William T. Sherman died at his home in New York City last Saturday. He was born at Lancaster, Ohio, February 8, 1820, so that he was a few days more than seventy-one years of age. A history of his life would involve a history of the rebellion. He was one of the great war leaders, and is about the last of them. The remains were taken to St. Louis, and buried on Thursday.

### Against The Burdick Bill.

OIL REFINERS PROTEST AGAINST THE PASSAGE OF THE MEASURE.

The Burdick bill to reduce the rates for transporting oil through pipes is not only receiving the opposition of the Standard Oil Company, but independent refiners, whose works are located in the oil regions, are protesting against its passage. One of these men, who has been an uncompromising enemy of the Standard, has written to a member of the House stating that if the bill were passed as introduced it would drive them out of the business, or they would have to move to the seaboard.

Philadelphia refiners would have a great advantage over them, as they could have the oil in its crude form delivered at twenty-seven cents a barrel under the bill, while the cost to refiners in the petroleum region to ship a barrel of oil to Philadelphia would be fifty-seven cents, twelve cents to have it piped to a railroad station and forty-five cents a barrel to have it conveyed to its eastern destination by train, pipes not being available for the transportation of refined oil.

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## VICINITY OF TAURUS.

The people in this neighborhood are taking a deep interest in singing school, which is conducted by a man from Berwick. So far he seems to meet the demands of his pupils, and he is accomplishing a good work.

A little more than a week ago Mr. Laubauch's dry-good store at New Columbus, was broken in and the money drawer robbed. It happened, that only a small sum of money was in the store.

The people of the M. E. church at Cambra had a chicken and waffle supper recently.

Mr. Abner Kline of Coles Creek died, after a short illness on last Saturday week. He was a good member of the Methodist Protestant church and we feel assured that he has gone to reap a good reward.

Rev. Miller has been having good success in his efforts in revival meetings this winter.

The spring term of school at the New Columbus Academy will begin on the 13th of April. The citizens are contemplating a good school, as they have secured the services of an excellent teacher.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 1891,

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THOMAS W. EDGAR, Administrator.

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### EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of Mary A. Hagenbuch, late of the township of Orange, county of Columbia, Pa. deceased, have been granted to William Hagenbuch, resident of said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

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## TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

The local institute for Orange, Fishingcreek, Mt. Pleasant, Scott and Centre townships, convened in Academy Hall, Orangeville, Col. Co., Pa., Saturday, Feb. 14, 1891. At 10:30 a. m.. Supt. Johnston called the institute to order.

Rev. Dr. Davis of the Presbyterian church conducted devotional exercises, after which Prof. C. H. Moore, of Orangeville, was elected chairman, and J. T. Watson, of Mt. Pleasant, secretary.

A Recitation, "The Organ Builder," by Miss Minnie Kitchen, was followed by the reading of a paper on "What Shall the Next Generation Be," by J. W. Hidlay. Common schools are common means to promote common good; as the teacher is, so is the school; as the schools are, so will be the future. More real danger to the life of the Republic now than ever before.

Prof. Welsh occupied the next period. He said, local institutes were a good thing. The question of text books, the means of instruction, were these discussed among the citizens. We should talk to the citizens for the people will and must make the changes. The school system of Pennsylvania is the best anywhere. Dr Wickersham visited the schools of France, Germany and England, and concluded that on the whole our schools are the best for they produce the best results. But our schools have their weak points and these we are here to discuss. We can learn from each other and gain many useful lessons. Our school houses are not what they ought be. We seek too often to merely fill the pupils minds with facts when really the object is to discipline the mind, which can be done better with good houses, proper furniture. Desks are not properly made and pupils are uncomfortable and cannot get their attention concentrated upon their work. Teachers ought to have proper facilities for their work, such as dictionaries, encyclopædias, and other books of reference. There ought to be a table filled with such papers as the *Youth's Companion*, *Treasure Trove*, etc. Parents ought to visit schools more, there is nothing like eternal vigilance in this country. Teachers ought to understand the laws of mind developement, a teacher that does not know the order of the mind's developement is not fit to teach a child. He recommended a thorough study of Allen's Mind Studies or some similar work. Don't be experimenting on human souls. You may try to build desks and fail, you may try to build houses and fail; but do keep your hands off children and don't injure their minds and characters for the world is full enough of sin and misery. Let it not be said that the teachers' profession is making mistakes and thereby increasing the liability to sin and err. Prepare yourself for your work, understand your subject well. Teaching is presenting a subject in such a way as to make it easy of comprehension to the class before you. I would like to see the day come when communities would take the school business in their hands as they do other businesses; when they will see to it that their children are under the care of proper teachers, and in proper school houses; when they will look after these things with the zeal and interest that they do after the ordinary affairs of life.

Recitation, by Miss Ida Jacoby, A Roman Valentine.

Adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

At 1:30 when chairman Moore called the institute to order, the hall was well filled and by 2 o'clock there was little standing room left. Supt. Johnston was given the floor and spoke as follows: He said that local meetings of this kind are a good thing. That he was led by observation to conclude that many improvements are due to them. Parents, directors and teachers are working for the common good as never before. The object of local institute is to awaken a deeper interest. It has been said by some one that 1890 was the best year in the history of education. Let us try to make 1891 till better. To do this teachers must try to improve themselves and better work will follow, parents like, and for most part appreciate good work. Teachers should read more and think more than they are doing. It is after all, quality of reading that counts more than quantity. Every teacher should have their time for reading and thinking; the facilities for improvement are better now than ever, educational works and periodicals are within the reach of all, the wise lawyer, physician, mechanic, and farmer all read, that they may improve in their calling. Having a fair education there are three things the teacher should daily ponder: means, methods, and minds. A knowledge of means and methods are acquired by the study of the best books, and close observation of the works of good teachers. A knowledge of the mind and the laws of its growth is acquired chiefly by the study of the mind itself, the teachers own mind and the mind of others, aided at all times by a study of the best works. The result of honest preparation, an increased remuneration and greater power for doing good. Be your selves, preserve your individuality and know the individuality of every pupil under your care.

Instrumental Music by Misses Ada Conner and Mamie McHenry and Mr. Will Herbine.

Miss Mertie Herring recited "The Schoolmaster's Guests," after which Rev. Houtz delivered the following address:

Friends and teachers, we ministers are accustomed to three things. An expectation to make a speech at every public gathering, to stand behind a pulpit, to commence a discourse with a text from which we may argue. When I was invited to address the institute, I looked around for a text. I didn't look in the Bible, we keep that for Sunday, I found it in a field about a quarter of a mile this side of Bloomsburg. It was not a rivulet, it was not a rock, but a tree. There is a tree standing near the roadside that I always look at in going to Bloomsburg. It is symmetrical, it has a proper growth in all directions. It is a good illustration of character. We don't want a one sided character. A true character is one that is developed in all directions. A good general will always strengthen the weak points. In teaching the weaknesses of pupils both intellectual and moral should be properly cared for by the teacher, that the child may grow into perfect manhood or womanhood.

Dialogue by pupils of primary school, Miss Maggie Eves, teacher. These little ones pleased the audience and showed careful training.

Rev. Dr. Davis spoke encouragingly to the teachers as follows:

He has a deep sympathy with the work of the teacher. It was an intelligent sympathy, for no small part of his life had he engaged in this work. He felt that he must address the teachers as fellow teachers, and he had claim to some right to be among them. It is a pleasant work to impart knowledge, either of your own, or to be the instrument through which the knowledge of books is given to others. It is pleasant to train the young mind and see it grow under your care and culture. It is pleasant to have to do with mind only in the world of material things, in this material age in which we live. Teaching is useful work. What greater and better gift can we offer the Republic than to teach and instruct our youth. This the language of Cicero. And what can we offer as Americans, as Christians, what better can we do for our country and our God than to train the generation to come after us. You are preparing the young for usefulness, for commanding influence—to rule the world. Teaching is hard work, I speak from experience. The world recognizes this in that none expect the teacher to work more than five or six hours per day. The work is hard because you have to do with all kinds of dispositions, and all grades of minds. It requires of you great patience to bear with the dull, to keep cool in the midst of trying irritating and aggravating circumstances. This grade of patience many do not possess. Not many Napoleonic men exist—those who are cool in the midst of conflicting strifes. Teaching is unappreciated work, the teacher needs sympathy, his work is oftimes unappreciated by parents. I have sometimes thought I would like to have ten thousand parents before me to reason with them concerning the best views to be taken for the education of their children. It is a work that unnerves men and women and often sends them down to early graves. Teaching is worthy of a place among the noble professions that engage the attention of mankind.

After an intermission of 10 minutes the audience was entertained by a vocal solo, by Mrs. T. W. Conner.

Prof. J. F. Harkins, of Bloomsburg, then addressed the Institute. He congratulated the people of Orangeville upon the fact that they had lost none of their old interest in educational matters and referred to the great number who had been prepared for usefulness in Orangeville Academy. Lack of space prevents a full report of his speech.

Recitation by Miss Geraldine Conner, "How we saved, saved St. Michaels."

Music by orchestra.

Recitation by Miss Edith Pitts, "Asleep at the Switch."

Prof. Moore then spoke on "The General Information of Pupils." It was a good speech.

On motion of D. W. Hicks a vote of thanks was tendered to those who took part in the exercises, the music, and all who helped make the institute so grand a success.

Supt. Johnston deserves great credit and may justly feel proud of his institute at Orangeville.

After which the chairman announced the institute stood adjourned.

J. F. WATSON, Secy.

## Advertising.

Is by no means a paying benefit to merchants unless it is properly looked after. So many people think that by writing something funny that it will capture all readers of a newspaper, but it does not. What we call a catchy thing is Manners' Double Extract Sarsaparilla for bad blood, pimples, eczema, salt rheum, scrofula, erysipelas and numerous other diseases arising from bad blood. Manners' Double Extract Sarsaparilla can be found for sale at all drug stores. Price 50 cents a bottle. tf.

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## COURT PROCEEDINGS.

SECOND WEEK.

Samantha Howard vs. J. A. Howard. Divorce decreed.

Estate Isaac Shoemaker deceased, inquest in partition awarded.

M. A. Bibby appointed guardian of Kate and Mary E. Brobst, minor children of John R. Brobst.

Estate Andrew Freas, report of private sale confirmed.

Estate Jacob Stroup, a lunatic, sale ordered.

S. M. Dougherty vs. F. L. Shuman, opinion of court filed, new trial denied.

Estate Joseph Tyson deceased, sale ordered.

Wm. H. Bright—sgt vs. Michael J Cain et. al., judgment entered for $180.

Estate E. A. Moore deceased, sale ordered.

Estate Phillip Miller deceased, report of sale confirmed nisi.

Estate minor children of Mary Musgrave, private sale ordered.

Assigned estate of S. A. Smith, sale ordered.

E. C. Caswell appointed trustee of certain funds of Carlton A. Caswell.

Harry Townsend vs. Etta Townsend, petition for divorce filed.

Commonwealth vs. Edward Yeager, nolle prosequi allowed.

Isaac A. Dewitt, Ira J. Thomas and A. T. Ikeler appointed viewers for a bridge over Fishingcreek in Sugarloaf twp. near J. P. Fritz's.

Restaurant license of Bernard Stohner transfered to H. F. and Harvey Dietterick.

Estate Wm. Hippensteel, L. E. Waller, Esq appointed auditor.

Estate W. N. O. Rogers. The balance of funds to wit $1463,15 to be deposited in bank.

Elijah Hess vs. Theodore M. Houser, rule of publication granted and hearing fixed for first day of May term.

## For Sale or Rent.

One of the most desirable properties on Market St., Bloomsburg. Finely located gas, water, heat, bath, fruit, &c. Possession given April 1. Apply to M. F. Eyerly, W. L. Eyerly, or Levi Waller, Esq. 2-13-4t.

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## Teachers' Meeting.

The teachers' meeting was called to order by the president, Mr. Yetter, who called on Miss Moyer to give her plan of teaching local geography.

When and how to use sand-modeling was discussed by Miss Jones.

Miss Breece then spoke on the manner of teaching geography, going from the continent to the globe, or from the parts to the whole.

Mr. Pursel discussed the motions of the earth.

Miss Brockway, winds and currents.

Prof. Sterner, the importance of map-drawing, and how to teach it.

Adjourned to meet Friday afternoon, Feb. 20th.

NORA FINNEY, Sec.

C. S. Furman is closing out his stock of robes and blankets at cost. Call early for bargains. 2-13-2t.*

What Dr. Phillips of West Chester says of Mr. Blakie's lecture:

"Hon. Wm. Blakie lectured for us here two years ago. He made a marked and decidedly pleasing impression. His lecture pleased everyone and did much good.

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Two good dwelling houses on Centre street. Apply to J. L. Girton, Bloomsburg, Pa. 7-4t.

## I Don't Want a Doctor!

I have tried them, and they have only swindled me. I have figured up what they cost me for the last four years, it was just $524 31. If I had it now it would be a fortune for me. This year my bill for medicine was only five dollars, for which I purchased six bottles of Sulphur Bitters They cured me of Scrofula after suffering four years.—*P. J. Cummings, Troy, N. Y.* 2-13 2t.

## ELECTION IN BLOOMSBURG.

There was a small vote polled in Bloomsburg Tuesday—the only real contest was that of councilmen. On Saturday evening previous the republicans held a caucus and named Peter S. Harman for president and Dr. I W. Willits, I. D. White and W. R. Ringrose for members. The democrats on the same evening named G. A. Herring for president, Harry Fornwald, W. B. Allen and E. R Furman as members. Mr. Fornwald positively declined to be a candidate and his name was therefore withdrawn. Monday evening a citizen's ticket was named with G. A. Herring for president, N. W. Barton, B. F. Hicks and Clinton Sterling for members. In addition to these there were several independent candidates. R. R. Little, Esq., was nominated at the citizen's caucus for school director. Below we give the vote in full as cast.

| | E. | W. | Total. |
|---|---|---|---|
| PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL. | | | |
| *Peter S. Harman, R | 195 | 195 | 390 |
| Geo. A. Herring, D | 193 | 112 | 305 |
| MEMBERS OF COUNCIL. | | | |
| *Thos. Gorrey, D | 217 | 373 | 590 |
| *W. B. Allen, D | 287 | 135 | 522 |
| F. P. Drinker, R | 93 | 152 | 245 |
| *I. D. White, R | 276 | 255 | 531 |
| *I. W. Willits, R | 319 | 289 | 608 |
| Wm. Ringrose R | 103 | 141 | 244 |
| *E. R. Furman, D | 163 | 167 | 330 |
| *Harry Rhodes, D | 319 | 37 | 356 |
| N. W. Barton, R | 56 | 45 | 101 |
| B. F. Hicks, | 43 | 42 | 85 |
| Clinton Sterling, | 91 | 123 | 214 |
| Jacob L. Girton, | 168 | 50 | 218 |
| SCHOOL DIRECTORS. | | | |
| *Jno. R. Townsend, D | 397 | 247 | 644 |
| *W. E. Rinker, R | 309 | 302 | 611 |
| R. R. Little, D | 71 | 71 | 142 |
| TAX COLLECTOR. | | | |
| *M. C. Woodward, D | 330 | 253 | 582 |
| W. C. Pegg, | | 1 | 1 |
| TRIENNIAL ASSESSOR. | | | |
| *Peter Jones, D | 392 | 236 | 628 |
| *John Penman, R | 314 | 302 | 616 |
| B. F. Sharpless, | 64 | 52 | 116 |
| C. R. Housel, | | 32 | |
| JUDGE OF ELECTION. | | | |
| *Charles Taylor, D | 223 | | |
| T. E. Geddis, R | 135 | | |
| D. R. Coffman, D | | 131 | |
| *J. K. Eyer, R | | 134 | |
| R. H. Ringler, | | 32 | |
| Chester Furman, | | 1 | |
| INSPECTOR. | | | |
| *R. W. Alexander, D | 163 | | |
| *W. E. Dietterick, R | 235 | | |
| Jno. Armstrong, | 14 | | |
| *Wm. E. Knorr, D | | 122 | |
| *H. J. Hartman, R | | 139 | |
| Geo. Moyer, Sr | | 6 | |
| Nathan Chromis, | 11 | | |
| Peter Freeze, | 23 | | |

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## Corn Bread.

Two teacupfuls of corn meal; ½ cup sugar; 1 pint sour milk; 1 teacup of flour; 1 teaspoonful of soda; 1 egg; bake 15 minutes. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is the best medicine to take at all times, for the thousand and one diseases which originate in impure blood. By careful attention to diet, and the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, boils, pimples, cezema, and all unsightly disfiguring humors, quickly disappear.

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Julius Lindegren, an experienced tuner and repairer, from New York City, is in town and all orders left at Peacock's hardware store, will receive prompt attention.

There is danger in impure blood. There is safety in taking Hood's Sarsaparilla, the great blood purifier. 100 doses one dollar.

## POULTRY NOTES.

No. 4.

Good fresh eggs are always in demand, are you doing what you can to supply that demand?

Examine your flock and see if you don't find some old ones among them. Dispose of them as they are unprofitable.

The second and third years are the most profitable for laying hens.

It is now considered poor policy for a farmer to keep scab stock of any kind, don't do it.

A huckster came through here buying poultry and would have nothing but Plymouth Rocks. Make a note of this.

If the poultry you have don't pay, change your breed, management, pens, &c., and note the result.

Why do you permit those hens and pullets to roost in the trees? You do it at a great disadvantage.

Parties who do not keep a hog, can utilize their potato parings to advantage by boiling and thickening with bran.

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Be kind to your hens, do not permit strange dogs or anything to frighten them, as the effect is injurious.

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When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
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When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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Bargains in toilet soaps at Clark & Son's. Prices reduced. Try our 5c big cake, worth 10c.

If you need embroideries, torchon laces, &c. Call and see our lines at prices lower than ever. Clark & Son.

## THE MARKETS.

BLOOMSBURG MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY. RETAIL PRICES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Butter per lb | $ | .24 |
| Eggs per dozen | | .18 |
| Lard per lb | | .10 |
| Ham per pound | | .14 |
| Pork, whole, per pound | .05 to | .05½ |
| Beef, quarter, per pound | .06 to | .08 |
| Wheat per bushel | | 1.10 |
| Corn ears " " | | .70 |
| Oats " " | | .60 |
| Rye " " | | .80 |
| Buckwheat flour per 100 | | 2.60 |
| Wheat flour per bbl | | 6.00 |
| Hay per ton | 10.00 to | 12.00 |
| Potatoes per bushel | | 1.10 |
| Shelled corn per bushel | | .75 |
| Corn meal " cwt | | 2.00 |
| Side meat " lb | | .10 |
| Chop " cwt | | 1.50 |
| Tallow " lb | | .04 |
| Chickens " lb | | .10 |
| Turkeys " lb | | .13½ |
| Coal per ton, No. 6 | | 2.25 |
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## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of sundry writs of Vend. Ex. issued out of the Court of Common Pleas, of Col. Co. Pa., and to me directed, there will be sold on the premises of the Fishingcreek Lumber Co. in Jameson City, Pa., on

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1891,

at 10 o'clock a. m., the following: All that certain pieces or parcels of land bounded and described as follows, to-wit: In and contiguous to said city of Jameson, beginning at a point in the west line of the Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad right of way, on the north side of Market street, thence northwardly along said railroad line north forty-nine and one-half degrees, east five hundred and seventy-three feet, thence a right curve with a radius of nineteen hundred and ten feet for a distance of two hundred and sixteen feet to a point on east side of Broad street, thence along the east side of said Broad street north forty-nine and one-half degrees east one hundred and forty-eight feet, thence along the lot of Peter J. Sult south forty and one-half degrees east fifty feet north fifty and one-fourth degrees east one hundred and sixty-one and one-half feet to a point in the south line West of Seventh street, thence along same forty and one-half degrees east fourteen feet, thence across said West Seventh street and along the east line of land of Mary Hess north fifty-five and one-fourth degrees east two hundred and three feet to the south side of Eighth street, thence along the same south forty and one-half degrees east fifty feet to the west line of the right of way of the said Bloomsburg & Sullivan Railroad, thence along the said railroad right of way north fifty-two degrees east seven hundred and ten feet to a point on the north side of Blackberry Run, thence along the north side of Blackberry Run south seventy-seven and three-fourths degrees east two hundred and twenty-three feet south forty-nine and three-eighths degrees east one hundred and fifty-four and one-fourth feet to a point sixteen feet north of a Beach tree marked for a corner, thence south sixty-one and three-fourths degrees east one hundred and thirty feet more or less crossing Big Fishingcreek to a post corner on south side of an alley, thence by lots laid out south fifty-six and one-half degrees west one hundred feet to a post south twenty-seven and five-tenths degrees west one hundred and thirteen feet to a Maple tree, thence south forty-five degrees twenty minutes west ninety-one feet to a small Hemlock, thence south forty-six degrees and five minutes west three hundred and eight feet to a post on the south side of east Eighth street, thence south sixty-three and three-fourths degrees west two hundred and thirty feet to a post, thence north sixty-five and one-half degrees west eighty-two feet to a Chestnut south eighty-two and a half degrees west two hundred and eight feet to a Chestnut south sixty-five degrees and twenty minutes west one hundred and sixty-six feet to a small Apple tree south twenty-four degrees west one hundred and sixty-nine feet to a Hemlock south fifty-nine and one-half degrees west one hundred and seventy-three feet to a Hemlock south fifty-five and three-fourths degrees west one hundred and twenty-nine feet to a post south fifty-seven degrees west four hundred feet to a post in the north line of said Market street and thence along the north line of said street north forty and one-half degrees west five hundred and thirty-eight feet to point twenty feet east of the west line of Broad street the place of beginning, containing

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Dwelling House, Blacksmith Shop, Oil House, Trestlings, Saw Mill Dam, and out-buildings.

Also, all those two certain lots of land situate in Jameson City, Col. Co., Pa., marked on the general plan of said place as lots Number 23 and 24, in the southwest divison and bounded on the north by lot of L. B. Howell, on the east by Broad street and on the south and west by alleys, each lot being 40 feet in front on Broad street and one hundred and fifty feet deep, whereon are erected on each of the above lots a

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*Main Street*—Large store building, with dwelling house on same lot, corner lot fronting on two streets, price $4000.

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*Sixth Street, North Side*—House and lot with 63 feet front on Street. Price $900.

*Sixth Street, North Side*—New two story frame house, 7 rooms, Veranda. Price $1100.

Fine Brick Reside nce in Espy Pa., Lot 92 feet front 10 room house, everything in good repair recently papered and painted, well at door, cistern, good stable and outbuildings, fruit of all kinds. Price $1600.

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## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

*Estate of Rosanna Runyan, late of Benton twp., Columbia county, deceased.*

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Rosanna Runyan, late of Benton township, Columbia Co., Pa., deceased, have been granted to H. F. Berlin, of Fairmount Springs, Luz. Co., Pa., to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to

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## ONWARD AND SUNWARD.

Others shall sing the song,
Others shall right the wrong,
Finish what I begin,
And all I fail of win.

What matter I or they!
Mine or another's day,
So the right word is said,
And life the sweeter made?

Hail, to the coming singers!
Hail, to the brave light-bringers!
Forward I reach and share
All that they sing and dare.

I feel the earth move sunward,
I join the great march onward,
And take by faith, while living,
My freehold of thanksgiving.

—[Whittier.

## BEETHOVEN'S MISTAKE.

**An Interesting Story of the Great Musician and the Emperor.**

Here is an interesting story which does not occur in Louis Engle's most charming book of anecdotes and reminiscences of musicians, but which in points of interest and prettiness is of a piece with the narratives contained therein, writes Eugene Field. When Ludwig Beethoven first visited the Austrian court he was 16 years of age. Well provided with letters of introduction to Emperor Joseph, he proceeded alone to the palace, determined to play his way into the affections of the monarch. Admitted to the palace, he was met in an antechamber by a very civil gentleman, who told him that the emperor could not well receive him then, but would be glad to have him present himself that evening for an audience in the Augarten. Attracted by the quiet and friendly demeanor of this person, young Beethoven engaged in conversation with him, and presently discovered that he was the emperor's barber, a discovery arising from the stanger's casual admission that he "shaved the emperor every morning."

"Tell me," demanded the youth, "is he indulgent or severe?"

"That depends," answered the barber, "when it comes to music matters he is strict enough."

"Yes, I know what that means," said Beethoven sneeringly, "he plays the piano a little, and strums away on the violoncello, and composes sonatas, but between you and me these big people don't carry their music studies very far after all."

This honest expression of opinion seemed to amuse the barber mightily; he simply roared with laughter.

That evening at the appointed hour Beethoven came to the Augarten and was shown into the music room, where the emperor and a friend were seated in conversation. Intense was the young musician's horror to learn that the supposed barber and the emperor were one! But the emperor took the joke with such amazing good humor that Beethoven, for his part, was willing to forgive and forget. He seated himself at the piano and at the emperor's request improvised at a theme from Mozart's "Zarastro." This he did so remarkably that his auditors were delighted. The Emperor's companion could not restrain his joy; running across the room, he threw his arms about the youth, crying: "Such taste! Such skill! The youth who can so interpret the thought of another composer will one day be a great master in the art himself!"

"Ah, but the air itself is so beautiful," said Beethoven, and then he added: "Mozart's music is divine!"

"My lad," cried the emperor, beaming with delight, "do you know whom you are talking to? It is Mozart himself to whom you have been playing, and whose lips have just predicted the great future that lies before you."

### Not the Right Way.

Sunday forenoon a man with a satchel in his hand hurried along a cross street to Woodward. Ten feet behind him hurried a woman, also carrying a satchel. As he waited for a Woodward avenue car she came up and also waited. Neither looked at nor spoke to the other. They took the same car and rode to the 3d street depot. The man went to the ticket window and asked:

"What's the fare to Syracuse?"

The woman followed close behind and said:

"I'm going to Syracuse?"

The man turned away without a ticket and walked out and got into a hack. It had not yet started when the woman got into another and told the driver to follow the first. Both went up town and probably home, as it was easy to see that it was a case of "tiff" between man and wife. A bootblack who caught on at the depot said:

"What an ass that man is? Why didn't he pretend to take pizen an' scare her to death?"—[Detroit Free Press.

### Breaking the Record.

Henry Shufert, of Peoria, Ill., tried to see how quick he could get married after being divorced, and accomplished it in 17 minutes. It, however, took him two hours to get rid of the smell of the bushel of eggs thrown against him by his fellow citizens.

### Overheard in 1492.

"That's it," said Columbus, as land first broke upon his vision. "That is America."

"North or South?" asked his mate.

"That I can't say until I've seen the map," returned the explorer.

### Laying the Blame.

Mrs. Brown—No wonder you caught cold, staying out half the night.

Brown—That wasn't the reason. I got the cold from having to knock at the door the other half.—[Epoch.

### And Living on It.

Johnson—Is Brown a successful business man?

Bronson—Well, I should think so! That man must be at least $100,000 in debt.—[Light.

In the village of Erchtout, near Devizes, there are five brothers living whose united ages amount to 415 years. In a neighboring village five persons related to each other, living in one house, their united ages making up 391 years. A horse 30 years old serves them for all their outings.

## NEVER WITHOUT HIS COMPANION.

**A Westerner Who Got a Cold Chill When He Discovered a Loss.**

"That reminds me," said the colonel blandly. He is always being "reminded." They were talking of man's dependence upon things which he is accustomed to use. "That reminds me of Jack Smiler. Jack was as brave as a lion. He drove one of the fast freight specials from Cheyenne to Deadwood. It was in the first days of the Black Hills excitement, when they ran light express wagons out to Cheyenne on a gallop and never stopped until they pulled up in Deadwood or until the road agents stopped them.

"Jack was born with one emotion lacking. He was not afraid of the wildest Indian (and there were enough of them in those days, just before the Custer massacre) or the most daring and reckless road agent. They did not call them highwaymen then. He used to climb into his seat, crack his long whip, and, with a wonderful oath, jerk the heads of those mules in the direction of Deadwood, and send them scurrying along like frightened rabbits. He always wore a revolver, of course, the handle forward in his belt, where his hand might touch it at a moment's notice. I do not believe that the road agent lived who could have stopped Jack Smiler.

"I rode up with him on one of his trips to a ranch about 35 miles from Cheyenne. I got tired of the seat and climbed back into the box to stand there to rest my legs. I conceived the idea of picking Jack's pocket—that is, of getting his revolver away from him. I was pretty careful to press one hand heavily on his shoulder while with the other I slipped the weapon from his belt. Finally I got it out safely and waited for him to discover the loss.

"We drove along for five or six miles, when suddenly Jack pulled up his mules with a terrible oath.

"'Whou!' he cried.

"'What's the trouble, Jack?' I asked.

"He turned to me and looked into my eyes. He was as white as a sheet.

"'We are going straight back to Cheyenne,' he said. "'What's the trouble?' I repeated.

"'Trouble!' he ejaculated, and a cloud of sulphur arose over us, his oratory was so emphatic. "'Trouble? I've lost my six shooter, and I wouldn't drive another foot for $10,000.'

"Oh, pshaw, Jack,' I said; "who knows you haven't a six shooter? Why don't you go right on, as if you had one?'

"Jack's teeth chattered at the very thought. I never saw a brave man so terribly frightened.

"'Not if my name is Jack Smiler,' he said.

"'Gracious!' he added (gracious stands for a string of words too long for a novice to mention in one evening), 'suppose I hadn't discovered this. Wouldn't I have been in a pretty fix?" He made a wry face.

"'Here's your old six shooter, Jack,' I said, handing it to him; "I wouldn't have it. It isn't worth keeping.'

"'Go 'lang, there!' shouted Jack, curling his whip lash beautifully and bringing the end of it to a sudden stop, with a loud crack. 'Go 'lang, there!' and we were rolling over the road again.

"'I can't go anywhere without that,' he said, touching the butt of it lightly. The last I saw of him he was snapping his long lash and whistling cheerfully. With the revolver he went anywhere; without it nowhere."—[New York Tribune.

### An Enthusiastic Nurse.

A Brooklyn mother had lately to call in the services of a trained nurse for her sick child. When the nurse, a bright young woman, arrived, the mother had a talk with her before she went to the sick room. "I suppose you know," she said, "that this is a fever case." "Oh, yes, indeed," she replied brightly, "and I was so glad to come. I just dote on fevers." To the anxious parent this seemed almost flippant, but the nurse continued: "They are so interesting, you know, and one's care tells"—a remark which somewhat condoned the first. "Now, I am just in from such a stupid case, a man with liver complaint—no established precedents, nothing to watch progress by, but just before I took him I had the most beautiful run of fever, 10 weeks, a young lady, two nurses of us, and we brought her through without a false step." This was again reassuring to the solicitous mother, and when a little later the nurse's services began this very exhileration and energy, tempered as they were in the sick room by soft ways and trained skill, became a mountain of relief.

### A Naughty Little Smuggler.

A clever ruse was once successfully perpetrated by a quick witted woman upon an officer who, it is no more than fair to add, was a novice at the business. She asked the officer to hold her baby while her husband assisted in opening the trunks. "Shake baby's rattle and he will be good," said the smiling matron as she bustled about; and the rattle was sounded merrily, the baby crowing with delight. Nothing was found in the baggage, but the rattle was filled with gems.

### In Their Order.

There are only two words in the English language which contains all the vowels in their order. They are "abstemious" and "facetious." The following words each have them in irregular order: Authoritative, disadvantageous, encouraging, efficacious, instantaneous, importunate, mendacious, nefarious, precarious, pertinacious, sacrilegious, simultaneous, tenacious, unintentional, objectional le, unequivocal, undiscoverable, and vexatious.

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The gentleman thus addressed was Professor Brainard Gardner Smith, of Cornell University.

"And I have the start of it in mind now," Professor Smith replied. "Once, when I was in journalism, I had occasion to go over a pile of old Liverpool newspapers, and thus came upon a remarkable paragraph in the ship news. Translated out of the language of commerce it was to the effect that the good ship Empress, just arrived from Australia, reported that while rounding the Cape of Good Hope she had been driven southward far out of her course by a storm, and away down in the southern Atlantic had sighted a vessel drifting aimlessly about. The first mate boarded her, and, returning, reported that the derelict was the ship Albatross. That she had been abandoned was plain, for all the boats were gone, and so were the log and the ship's instruments. On deck close by the companion hatch lay two bodies, or rather skeletons, clad in weather rotted garments that showed them to have been man and woman. These bodies were headless, but the heads were nowhere to be found on the deserted deck. The mate found on the cabin table an open book, with writing on its pages. A pen lay on the table and a small inkstand, in which the ink had evidently long since dried. The book was evidently a journal ordinary, so the mate reported, and he put it in his pocket, meaning to carry it aboard the Empress, but when he was getting down into his small boat the book slipped from his pocket, dropped into the water, and sank. The Albatross was badly waterlogged and he thought could not have floated much longer. To this report the editor of the paper added a note saying that the readers would all doubtless remember that the Albatross had sailed from Liverpool several years before, bound for Australia, and was thought to have gone down with all on board, as no news of her had since been received. That was the substance of the remarkable paragraph. What was almost as remarkable to me, a newspaper man, was that the Liverpool paper had evidently made no effort to learn the owner's name of the Albatross, the name of her captain and crew, or whether or not she carried any passengers.

"I carefully searched the files to see if there were any further reference to the case. There was none. After the manner of his kind the editor of the paper had, so it seemed, taken it for granted that his readers would remember all the particulars that they wanted to know.

"A few weeks after that I went into northern Vermont to report the Benton murder trial, which was attracting much more than local attention. I was pleased to find that the prosecuting attorney was an old classmate of mine, but not pleased to find that he had become a spiritualist. I mentioned the headless bodies to him, and, as a joke, asked him to conjure up the two spirits in a seance, so as to solve the mystery. Well, we tried to——"

"And failed, of course," interposed Edgar Fawcett.

A quizzical expression came into Professor Smith's face and he said:

"Oh, no; we got the whole story through a medium. The bodies were those of Arthur Hartley and Helen Rankins," and he looked defiantly around the circle for a contradiction. "It was Hartley whose communication we got through the Vermont medium, and this is what he said:

"'Helen and I were passengers aboard the Albatross. My Uncle John promised me a fortune. He was confident that an explosive of his invention would work such wonders in Australian mines that within 10 years we would go back to England rich beyond the dreams of avarice. One day Uncle John got into a hot discussion with Captain Raymond about the efficacy of the wonderful explosive compound. The captain seemed doubtful. Uncle John was for the instant angry.

"'"I'll show you, then," he said, and he rushed into the cabin where his boxes were stored and came out shortly with two tin cans, each holding something less than a pint. He unscrewed the top of one, disclosing a brownish powder. "Take care!" said the captain, who seemed needlessly cautious and almost fearful.

"'"Why, I thought you said it was useless," said Uncle John, with a laugh; "and yet you are afraid of it. Look here." He lighted a match and held it close to the powder. A dark smoke arose that instantly extinguished the little flame and floated off, leaving a queer smell. That was all.

"'"Perfectly harmless, captain," continued uncle, who had now recovered his usual good nature. "Perfectly harmless—unless you wet it. Then look out!"

"'The cook made a sort of dumpling for dinner, and a great lot of it remained. Uncle John took a mass of this dough, for it was little else, squeezed it until it was quite dry, and molded it into a ball. "Come with me," he said, "and, Arthur, bring a plate of that dough with you." He took the cans and we followed him to the deck. There he carefully covered the ball of dough with the powder, and going to the rail threw it as far as he could out over the placid sea. As the ball struck the water there was a loud explosion, and the spray was thrown high into the air. The crew, who had been hanging over the port rail forward, turned and rushed over to see what was up. Uncle John made another ball, and threw it with like result.

"'"Oh, honly torpeters," growled one of the men, and they turned back to their places. Uncle John, now evidently anxious to give us thorough proof of the value of his compound, was for throwing more balls, when the boatswain, rolling aft, touched his hat, and said to the captain:

"'"Please, sir, there's a big black shark as has showed his fin hoff the port bow, and if so be that the doctor'll wait a bit with his torpeters we'll show 'um some fun a-catchin' of it."

"'"All right, bo'sun," said the captain, and we all went over to the port rail.

"'"There he is," said the captain, pointing to a sharp black thing that, rising just above the water, was cutting quietly through it. "That is his fin, and there's a big shark under it, or I'm much mistaken."

"'The men fell back and looked eagerly. The cook handed up a big chunk of meat. "Wipe it as dry as you can," said uncle, "and tie it firmly to the rope." When this was done he sprinkled the powder from the can carefully over the meat; then he carried it cautiously to the rail. The shark was cruising back and forth. Uncle lowered the meat slowly into the water, right in front of the monster. He saw the bait, and darted at it, and then there was a tremendous report, and the spray flew into our faces as we leaned over the rail. The next moment we saw the big fish floating motionless on the water.

"'"Blessed if 'e 'asn't blowed 'is 'ead close off," said the boatswain.

"'It was so. That terrible compound of Uncle John's had needed only the impact of the shark's teeth to explode it with deadly effect.'"

"Oh, it's only a fish story," Edgar Fawcett interrupted, when Professor Smith, who is an expert elocutionist, had spoken thus far in the assumed character of the dead man.

"It is a lovely story," Professor Smith went on, with no lapse from his impersonation of the solemnly speaking spirit of Hartley. "'Our vessel was plundered and abandoned by the mutinous crew. Only Helen, whom I madly loved, but who had never yet confessed she loved me, was left alone on board with me. Days of famishing and fever ensued. One afternoon Helen was lying motionless in the shadow of the companion hatch. I threw myself down by her side. She put out her hand and grasped mine, and a flush crossed her face. I was too weak to speak, and thus hand in hand we lay for I don't know how long. Gradually I lost consciousness, perhaps in sleep. At all events my spirit was not free. The frail body still had strength enough to retain it. I was aroused by something dropping on my face. As consciousness came back I saw that the sky had become overcast; that a cool breeze was blowing, and that a gentle rain was falling. Helen was sitting erect, and with parted lips drinking in the grateful rain laden air. I tried to rise, but could not. She was much stronger than I, and at my direction went below and brought blankets and clothes, which she spread on the deck, that they might catch the falling drops. She seemed quite vigorous, and already I felt my own strength coming back. Soon she was able to squeeze water from the blanket into a little can which stood by the mast. We were in too great agony of thirst to think of neatness. She offered the can to me.

"'"Drink yourself, Helen," I said.

"'"No," she answered, with a smile. "No, you need it most." And kneeling by my side she slipped her arm under my head and with the other hand held the water to my parched lips.

"'I drank eagerly. The draught was life to me. Never had water such strength giving power. I hardly noticed that it left such a queer taste upon my lips. I sat erect. Helen, with her arm still around my neck, drank what remained in the can. Then she looked me full in the face. There was a new expression in the lovely eyes. A deep flush was on her brow.

"'"Arthur," she said, and there was a tremor in the rich deep voice, "Arthur, I love you! Oh, I love you! May darling, my noble, faithful darling! Arthur!"

"'She threw herself upon my breast with burning face and streaming eyes. The blood leaped through my veins. She raised her sweet face and our lips met for the first time. There was an awful crash and our freed spirits took their happy flight together.

"'We had drank from the can that had contained Uncle John's explosive. A little of the powder had clung to the can, floated on the water, and adhered to our lips when we drank.

"'The impact of that first elastic kiss had exploded the compound and our heads were blown from our shoulders. That's all.'"

And Professor Smith, the story teller, smiled.—[Cincinnati Enquirer.

According to the Niagara Falls *Gazette*, S. Andreas Rothe, of Buffalo, wants to wall in Goat Island to the height of 100 feet and put a glass observatory on top. All he asks in return for this remarkable "improvement" is the right to collect admission fees for 25 years.


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For Danville and Milton, 8.10 a. m., 3.16, 11.00 p. m.

For Catawissa 6.05, 8.10, 11.13 a. m., 12.20, 5.00, 6.30 p. m

For Rupert 6.05, 8.10, 11.13 a. m., 12.20, 3.16, 5.00, 6.30, 11.00 p. m.

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Leave Pottsville 12 30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.21 a. m., 9.18 p. m.

Leave Williamsport 9 30 a. m., 4.15 p. m.

Leave Catawissa 7.00, 8.40 a. m. 1.30, 3.20, 6.10 11.02 p m.

Leave Rupert 6.21, 7.08, 8 47, 11.26 a. m., 1.38, 3.31, 6.18, 11 10 p. m.

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BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

| STATIONS. | NORTH. P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | A. M. |
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| NORTHUMBERLAND | 5 40 | 1 50 | 10 10 | 6 27 |
| Cameron | 5 53 | ... | 10 23 | 6 37 |
| Chulasky | 5 58 | .... | 10 27 | 6 40 |
| Danville | 6 05 | 2 11 | 10 33 | 6 45 |
| Catawissa | 6 18 | | 10 48 | 7 05 |
| Rupert | 6 23 | 2 28 | 10 53 | 7 12 |
| Bloomsburg | 6 29 | 2 33 | 10 58 | 7 20 |
| Espy | 6 35 | .... | 11 04 | 7 27 |
| Lime Ridge | 6 42 | .... | 11 10 | 7 34 |
| Willow Grove | 6 46 | .... | 11 14 | 7 38 |
| Briarcreek | 6 50 | .... | 11 17 | 7 41 |
| Berwick | 6 56 | 2 56 | 11 23 | 7 48 |
| Beach Haven | 7 02 | .... | 11 29 | 7 54 |
| Hick's Ferry | 7 09 | .... | 11 35 | 8 00 |
| Shickshinny | 7 22 | 3 17 | 11 45 | 8 10 |
| Hunlock's | 7 32 | .... | 11 55 | 8 21 |
| Nanticoke | 7 39 | 3 33 | 12 01 | 8 28 |
| Avondale | 7 43 | .... | 12 04 | 8 30 |
| Plymouth | 7 48 | 3 42 | 12 08 | 8 35 |
| Plymouth Junction | 7 52 | .... | 12 11 | 8 40 |
| Kingston | 7 57 | 3 50 | 12 15 | 8 45 |
| Bennett | 8 02 | .... | 12 18 | 8 49 |
| Maltby | 8 07 | .... | 12 21 | 8 54 |
| Wyoming | 8 12 | 3 58 | 12 25 | 8 59 |
| West Pittston | 8 17 | 4 02 | 12 29 | 9 01 |
| Pittston | 8 25 | 4 07 | 12 35 | 9 08 |
| Duryea | 8 29 | .... | .... | 9 12 |
| Lackawanna | 8 33 | .... | 12 41 | 9 16 |
| Taylorville | 8 42 | .... | 12 48 | 9 25 |
| Bellevue | 8 47 | .... | 15 52 | 9 31 |
| SCRANTON | 8 52 | 4 28 | 12 57 | 9 35 |
| | P. M. | P. M | P. M. | P. M. |

| STATIONS. | SOUTH. A. M. | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. |
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| SCRANTON | 6 00 | 9 50 | 1 40 | 6 08 |
| Bellevue | 6 05 | 9 55 | .... | 6 09 |
| Taylorville | 6 10 | 10 00 | 1 70 | 6 14 |
| Lackawanna | 6 18 | 10 08 | 1 58 | 6 20 |
| Duryea | 6 22 | 10 10 | 2 02 | 6 23 |
| Pittston | 6 18 | 10 16 | 2 07 | 6 28 |
| West Pittston | 6 35 | 10 22 | 2 14 | 6 33 |
| Wyoming | 6 40 | 10 27 | 2 20 | 6 38 |
| Maltby | 6 44 | 10 30 | .... | 6 41 |
| Pennett | 6 48 | 10 34 | 2 28 | 6 44 |
| Kingston | 6 52 | 10 38 | 2 31 | 6 48 |
| Plymouth Junction | 6 59 | 10 42 | 2 38 | 6 52 |
| Plymouth | 7 04 | 10 47 | 2 43 | 6 56 |
| Avondale | 7 09 | 10 51 | 2 48 | 7 00 |
| Nanticoke | 7 14 | 10 55 | 2 53 | 7 04 |
| Hunlock's | 7 20 | 11 02 | 3 00 | 7 10 |
| Shickshinny | 7 31 | 11 16 | 3 17 | 7 22 |
| Hick's Ferry | 7 44 | 11 25 | 3 32 | 7 34 |
| Beach Haven | 7 54 | 11 41 | 3 40 | 7 41 |
| Berwick | 8 02 | 11 47 | 3 47 | 7 48 |
| Briar Creek | 8 09 | .... | 3 53 | 7 54 |
| Willow Grove | 8 13 | 11 56 | 3 57 | 7 57 |
| Lime Ridge | 8 17 | 12 02 | 4 02 | 8 00 |
| Espy | 8 24 | 12 10 | 4 09 | 8 06 |
| Bloomsburg | 8 31 | 12 18 | 4 15 | 8 12 |
| Rupert | 8 37 | 12 23 | 4 22 | 8 17 |
| Catawissa | 8 42 | 12 28 | 4 28 | 8 22 |
| Danville | 8 57 | 12 42 | 4 46 | 8 35 |
| Chulasky | 9 03 | .... | 4 54 | ... |
| Cameron | 9 07 | 12 51 | 5 00 | 8 45 |
| NORTHUMBERLAND | 9 22 | 1 05 | 5 15 | 8 57 |
| | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |

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9:25 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 3:15 p. m.; New York 5:50 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 5:55 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphia Baltimore.

1:50 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 9:35 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washington 8:15 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

8:08 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:25 a. m.; New York 7:10 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in a seeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—(Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 9:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:20 a. m., Washington 7:30 a. m., Pullman Sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

3:56 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 5:19 a. m. and Washington 9:55 a. m. and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

2:04 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:10 a. m.—Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman palace cars and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:42 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:30 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) for Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

8:5 4p. m.—Train 21, (Daily,) for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

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Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 4:45 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:10 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 8:35 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 8:10 a. m., Baltimore 9:00 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:05 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m., Philadelphia 11:40 a. m., Washington 10:50 a. m., Baltimore 11:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:30 p m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 21 leaves New York 2.00 p. m., Philadelphia 4:25 p. m., Washington 3:30 p. m., Baltimore 4:32 p. m. (Daily) arriving at Sunbury 8:54 p. m.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:30 p. m., Philadelphia 9:20 p. m., Washington 7:40 p. m., Baltimore 8:45 p. m., (Daily except Saturday,) arriving at Sunbury, 2:04 a. m. with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:05 p m., Washington 10:00 p m., Baltimore 11:20 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:10 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

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Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:35 p m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:26 p m., Wilkes-Barre 7:50 p. m.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 11:17 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 12:37 p. m., Sunbury 1:38 p. m.

Train 10 leaves Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:34 p. m., Sunbury 5:22 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 a. m.

Train 26 leaves Wilkes-Barre 5:10 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:39 p. m., Sunbury 7:30 p. m.

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| Bloomsburg | 6 28 | 12 10 | 7 15 | 8 35 | 2 35 | 6 40 |
| Main Street | 6 18 | 12 04 | 7 07 | 8 42 | 2 42 | 6 47 |
| Irondale | 6 16 | 12 00 | 7 04 | 8 45 | 2 45 | 6 50 |
| Paper Mill | 6 08 | 11 52 | 6 56 | 8 53 | 2 53 | 6 58 |
| Lightstreet | 6 05 | 11 49 | 6 53 | 8 56 | 2 56 | 7 02 |
| Orangeville | 5 57 | 11 38 | 6 43 | 9 06 | 3 07 | 7 10 |
| Forks | 5 45 | 11 27 | 6 33 | 9 15 | 3 17 | 7 20 |
| Zaner's | 5 42 | 11 24 | 6 30 | 9 20 | 3 20 | 7 24 |
| Stillwater | 5 37 | 11 19 | 6 25 | 9 27 | 3 25 | 7 29 |
| Benton | 5 28 | 11 09 | 6 16 | 9 37 | 3 33 | 7 39 |
| Edsons | 5 23 | 11 04 | 6 11 | 9 41 | 3 38 | 7 44 |
| Coles Creek | 5 20 | 11 02 | 6 09 | 9 44 | 3 42 | 7 48 |
| Sugarloaf | 5 15 | 11 57 | 6 03 | 9 48 | 3 48 | 7 52 |
| Laubachs | 5 12 | 10 54 | 6 00 | 9 53 | 3 50 | 7 57 |
| Central | 5 08 | 10 43 | 5 53 | 10 03 | 4 03 | 8 07 |
| Jamison City | 5 00 | 10 40 | 5 50 | 10 10 | 4 08 | 8 10 |
| | Lv. P. M. | Lv. A. M. | Lv. A. M. | Ar. A. M. | Ar. P. M. | Ar. P. M. |

# THE COLUMBIAN.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

### Farm For Sale.

70 acres in Fishingcreek township, Col. Co me mile from Van Camp, New Columbia and Jambra. Fair buildings, good water, fine orchard. No. 1 grass farm, will sell at a bargain up on easy terms. Will exchange upon property Bloomsburg. Call upon or address

WM. CHRISMAN,
Bloomsburg, Pa.

FOR SALE—Desirable vacant lots and a number of good houses and lots in Bloomsburg. The best business stand in Bloomsburg. A very desirable property in Willow Grove, first-class buildings and 19 acres of land. Dwellings in Espy. Ten good farms in Columbia county, one in Luzerne county, one in Virginia and two in Kansas. One country store stand in Columbia county and one in Luzerne county, 3 grist mills in Columbia county, by

M. P. LUTZ,
Insurance and Real Estate Agt, Bloomsburg Pa.,

## SALES.

FEB. 24.—J. J. Longenberger will sell horses, cows implements grain and many other articles in Mifflin township at 9 a. m. See bills,

FEB. 25—E. R. Wilson, assignee will, sell at public sale in Fishing creek township at Forks station at the old Huitchison homestead horses, wagons, sled, hay, reaper, plows, grain &., at 10 a. m. See bills.

FEB. 27.—Geo. A. Fisher will sell a lage amount of personal property on the farm formerly occupied by W. S. Fisher, two miles north of Mainville, at 9 a. m. Horses, cows, pigs, implements, &c.

MARCH 2.—Louis Schwartz will sell personal property on the Poss Foulk farm in Hemlock township, at 9 o'clock. See bills for particulars.

March 4.—C. M. Hess will sell a horse, wagon, harness, stoves household furniture, &c., at 12 o'clock on the farm of Reuben Hess at Rupert. See bills.

MARCH 5.—Cyrus Demott will sell horses, cattle, pigs, wagons, farm machinery, harness, grain, household and kitchen furniture, &c, in Madison township one mile west of Eyersgrove, at 10 a. m. See bills.

MARCH 12.—Lafayette Keeler will sell at public sale in Benton township a bay team, steam thresher, Osborne mower, good as new, plows, harrows, harness, wagons, sleds, horse blankets, corn planter and fertilizer combined, pigs, hay by the ton, rifles, Morris & Ireland safe, grain, and many other articles, at 10 a. m. See bills.

MARCH 14th. The heirs of Tacy White, deceased, will offer at public sale a large brick residence in Light Street, also horse, carriage, buggy, harness, stoves, household goods, &c.

MARCH 17.—Mrs. Thomas Weaver will sell a horse, cows, pigs, sheep, harness. farm implements &c in Hemlock township, Isaac Pursel's farm, at 10 a. m. See bills.

## WANTED.

Two single men to work on the farm, of sober and industrious habits, to whom liberal wages will be given, none other need apply. Also, a good housekeeper, a lady between the age of forty and fifty years prefered. Must come well recommended.

Address S. C. SHIVE.
2-20-3-t Pensyl P. O.

WANTED.—A girl for geueral house work in small family. Address Box A. Bloomsburg.

Last Thursday the 12th was the anniversary of Lincoln's birthday. It was observed by some of the organizations in the cities.

Hear Hon. Wm. Blakie on Friday night, on "How to get strong." He is the best authority in America on physical culture.

### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by taking Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props,
Toledo O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

WEST & TRUAX, Wholesale Druggists Toledo, O.
WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c, per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

### For Rent.

A large front room on the third floor of the COLUMBIAN building, five windows, steam heat, gas and water. Inquire of Geo. E. Elwell. tf.

### I Have Always Paid Rent.

For a house to live in. This year I have paid for a cottage, with money which, before I used Sulphur Bitters in my family, was paid to the doctor and druggist. They cured my wife of female Weakness.—*W. F. Sampson, Salem, Mass.*

Highest cash price paid for all kinds of furs: Fox, mink, musk rats, skunks, etc.

LOUIS LOWENBERG.

# Statement of Finances
—OF—
# COLUMBIA COUNTY,
FROM JAN. 6TH, 1890, TO JAN. 5TH, 1891.

STATEMENT SHOWING TAXES ASSESSED FOR 1890 AND BALANCE STILL DUE.

| DISTRICTS. | ASSESSED. | | | STILL DUE. | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | County Tax. | Dog Tax. | State Tax. | County Tax. | Dog Tax. | State Tax. |
| Beaver | $ 719 83 | $ 81 50 | $ 40 69 | $ 135 19 | $ 26 10 | $ 10 51 |
| Benton | 930 46 | 88 50 | 58 35 | 294 52 | 49 00 | |
| Berwick | 1976 18 | 64 00 | 510 87 | 652 23 | 48 50 | 73 26 |
| Bloom | 4331 25 | 89 00 | 1216 65 | 781 80 | 64 00 | 716 65 |
| Briarcreek | 1125 07 | 74 50 | 116 46 | 443 49 | 49 76 | 33 56 |
| Catawissa | 1687 33 | 69 00 | 402 44 | 382 22 | 39 50 | 10 59 |
| Centralia | 1093 41 | 49 50 | 346 37 | 484 94 | 37 00 | |
| Centre | 1602 17 | 72 50 | 73 21 | 989 34 | 53 50 | 8 34 |
| Conyngham | 1624 80 | 55 50 | 90 62 | 401 28 | 44 70 | 1 18 |
| Fishingcreek | 1161 87 | 102 00 | 105 49 | 842 75 | 84 00 | 66 75 |
| Franklin | 852 31 | 46 00 | 31 88 | | | |
| Greenwood | 1297 94 | 101 50 | 283 44 | 410 70 | 68 00 | 27 07 |
| Hemlock | 1005 52 | 51 50 | 68 95 | | | |
| Jackson | 299 56 | 52 00 | 17 11 | 73 12 | 40 00 | 12 11 |
| Locust | 1494 16 | 129 50 | 181 83 | 866 88 | 90 50 | 65 75 |
| Madison | 1099 07 | 86 50 | 120 28 | 580 13 | 58 00 | 24 78 |
| Main | 612 17 | 58 50 | 99 12 | 204 16 | 32 00 | 26 54 |
| Mifflin | 1055 35 | 80 00 | 90 49 | 617 13 | 60 00 | 17 37 |
| Montour | 813 88 | 42 50 | 74 01 | 314 90 | 24 00 | 4 37 |
| Mt. Pleasant | 625 36 | 63 50 | 81 65 | 112 47 | 24 00 | 6 65 |
| Orange | 944 82 | 56 50 | 194 60 | 136 63 | 17 51 | 3 88 |
| Pine | 407 40 | 62 00 | 25 70 | 280 40 | 51 00 | 16 24 |
| Roaringcreek | 419 63 | 40 50 | 145 82 | | | |
| Scott | 1433 59 | 76 50 | 226 74 | 562 54 | 51 60 | 31 84 |
| Sugarloaf | 465 14 | 65 00 | 28 99 | 275 70 | 43 50 | 13 86 |
| | $28844 94 | $ 1758 00 | $ 4551 69 | $ 9797 30 | $ 1066 61 | $ 1171 01 |

Amount due from 1883 and 1888.

| District | Collector. | Year | Co. | Dog. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bloom. | R. Harris. | 1880. | $194 60 | $3 00 |
| Bloom. | U. H. Ent. | 1888. | 162 23 | 60 50 |

GEORGE A. HERRING, Treasurer of Columbia county, in account with said county funds. January 5th, 1891. DR.

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|---|---|
| To cash balance on hand Jan. 6, 1890.. | $ 4388 78 |
| " balance due from collector of 1888 | 292 24 |
| " " " " " 1889.. | 9511 46 |
| " amt of taxes assessed for 1890 | 28746 90 |
| " " " register of votes | 98 04 |
| " " collected on seated lands | 1135 99 |
| " " " unseated lands | 1747 50 |
| " " of W. H. Snyder, dog register of 1889 | 2 50 |
| " amt received P. D. Appleman old iron at jail | 12 70 |
| " amt received of Harman & Hassert old iron at jail | 4 00 |
| " redemption money of L. S. Winterstein | 11 02 |
| " redemption money of J. M. Clark | 16 24 |
| " amt rec'd of C. Mears, for old radiator | 25 00 |
| " amt rec'd of Ell Jones overpaid on road view | 3 00 |
| " amt rec'd of Wm. Krickbaum Jury fees | 4 00 |
| " amt rec'd of Geo. Eckroat redemption, Mifflin | 144 |
| " amt rec'd of J. H. Wright & Co. return of expressage | 1 00 |
| " amt rec'd of John Appleman, bridge plank | 1 54 |
| " amt rec'd of John M. Clark, costs Com. vs. John Thrash | 7 81 |
| " amt rec'd of Commissioners Montour Co. lumber | 35 64 |
| " amt received of W. H. Snyder, Jury fees | 35 00 |
| " amt rec'd of I. O. of O. F. for keeping John Barton at Danville hospt'l | 106 50 |
| " amt rec'd of I. W. McKelvy for keeping of Margaret Weaver, Danville hospital | 68 25 |
| " amt rec'd of J. A. Dildine redemption for A. Moore tract of land, G. Wood | 27 59 |
| " amt received of J. B. Martz J. P. fine collected for illegal fishing | 17 50 |
| " amt rec'd from hotel and restaurant licenses | 1321 65 |
| " amt paid in county fund from state tax | 931 47 |
| " amt paid in county fund from dog tax | 1500 00 |
| | $ 51037 84 |

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By Exonerations and Returns Allowed on County tax for 1888.

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|---|---|---|
| Briarcreek | $ 6 95 | |
| Conyngham | 77 62 | |
| | | $ 84 57 |

By Commissions and Exonerations Allowed on County tax for 1889.

| Dist. | Com. | Ex & Re | Dist. | Com | Ex & Re |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Beaver | $ 11 04 | | Jackson | $ | $ 2 08 |
| Benton | 9 40 | $ 3 11 | Locust | 27 00 | 8 88 |
| Berwick | | 46 88 | Madison | 18 38 | 12 67 |
| Bloom | 95 00 | 72 62 | Mifflin | | 6 62 |
| Cat'w'sa | 30 05 | 33 96 | Montour | 7 99 | 5 98 |
| Cent'lia | 5 00 | 62 45 | Mt Pleas't | | 7 20 |
| Fish'ck | 21 34 | 9 72 | Scott | | 22 68 |
| Franklin | 12 62 | | Sugarl't | 5 61 | 29 40 |
| Greenw'd | | 5 09 | | | |
| Hemlock | 11 28 | 4 76 | Total | $184 73 | $327 10 |

By Commission, Discounts and Exonerations and returns for 1890.

| Districts | Com. | Ex. & Re. | Dis. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Beaver | $21 90 | $ | $ 16 89 |
| Benton | 22 47 | | 20 80 |
| Berwick | 26 43 | | 66 19 |
| Bloom | 1 5 49 | | 101 24 |
| Briarcreek | 15 71 | | 30 33 |
| Catawissa | 40 48 | | 41 30 |
| Centralia | 12 17 | | 30 42 |
| Centre | 14 06 | | 35 14 |
| Conyngham | 22 57 | | 57 17 |
| Fishingcreek | 6 33 | | 15 98 |
| Franklin | 22 21 | 5 67 | 12 85 |
| Greenwood | 23 52 | | 18 31 |
| Hemlock | 33 67 | 12 69 | 41 25 |
| Jackson | 10 01 | | 2 50 |
| Locust | 12 56 | | 31 33 |
| Madison | 11 10 | | 24 03 |
| Main | 14 70 | | 14 27 |
| Mifflin | 9 43 | | 20 73 |
| Montour | 14 97 | | 24 95 |
| Mt. Pleasant | 21 09 | | 11 32 |
| Orange | 28 50 | | 29 76 |
| Pine | 3 81 | | 6 35 |
| Roaringcreek | 16 36 | 1 41 | 10 43 |
| Scott | 24 29 | | 34 12 |
| Sugarloaf | 8 15 | | 3 17 |
| Total | $351 80 | $19 77 | $718 97 |

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|---|---|
| By total commissions | $ 739 53 |
| " " discounts | 773 97 |
| " " exonerations and returns | 431 44 |
| " am't due from collectors of 1888 | 162 23 |
| " " " " " 1889 | 823 45 |
| " " " " " 1890 | 9797 30 |
| " County orders issued and redeemed | 31475 59 |
| " commission due treasurer | 1459 02 |
| " cash bal on hand Jan. 5, 1891 | 5658 11 |
| | $51057 84 |

GEORGE A. HERRING, Treasurer, in account with Dog Fund.

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|---|---|
| Jan. 6, 1890. | |
| To cash bal on hand from 1889 | $ 796 90 |
| " am't due from collectors of 1880 | 83 00 |
| " " " " " 1888 | 85 60 |
| " " " " " 1889 | 1125 18 |
| " " assessed for 1890 | 1758 00 |
| | $ 3848 68 |

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|---|---|---|
| By exonerations from collectors 1888 | | |
| Briarcreek | $ 2 00 | |
| Conyngham | 5 50 | |
| | | $ 7 50 |
| By bal due from collectors of 1888 | | |
| Bloom | | $ 69 50 |

By commission, exonerations and balance due from 1889.

| Districts | Com | Ex | Due |
|---|---|---|---|
| Beaver | $ 1 55 | $ | $ 38 50 |
| Benton | 77 | 6 00 | |
| Berwick | | 9 50 | |
| Bloom | 47 | 12 50 | |
| Briarcreek | | | 42 50 |
| Catawissa | | | 50 00 |
| Centralia | 1 00 | 14 50 | |
| Centre | | | 36 50 |
| Conyngham | | | 21 50 |
| Fishingcreek | 1 21 | 5 00 | |
| Franklin | 60 | | |
| Greenwood | | 3 50 | |
| Hemlock | 60 | 3 00 | |
| Jackson | | 50 | |
| Locust | 2 40 | 4 50 | |
| Madison | 1 49 | 6 00 | |
| Main | | | 22 50 |
| Mifflin | | 3 00 | |
| Montour | 65 | 50 | |
| Mt Pleasant | | 2 00 | |
| Orange | | | 24 00 |
| Pine | | | 10 50 |
| Scott | | 4 50 | |
| Sugarloaf | 67 | 1 00 | |
| | $ 11 16 | $ 72 00 | $ 281 00 |

By commissions, discounts and amount due from collectors of 1890.

| Districts | Com. | Dis. | Amt. due |
|---|---|---|---|
| Beaver | $ 2 18 | $ 1 30 | $ 26 10 |
| Benton | 1 37 | 1 45 | 46 09 |
| Berwick | 42 | 77 | 48 50 |
| Bloom | 75 | 1 25 | 64 03 |
| Briarcreek | 86 | 97 | 49 50 |
| Catawissa | 1 23 | 55 | 39 50 |
| Centralia | 57 | 83 | 37 00 |
| Centre | 57 | 95 | 53 50 |
| Conyngham | 80 | 80 | 44 70 |
| Fishingcreek | 54 | 90 | 84 00 |
| Franklin | 1 68 | 80 | |
| Greenwood | 1 60 | 1 68 | 68 00 |
| Hemlock | 2 03 | 1 25 | |
| Jackson | 54 | 60 | 43 00 |
| Locust | 1 17 | 1 95 | 90 50 |
| Madison | 77 | 1 41 | 78 60 |
| Main | 79 | 1 32 | 32 00 |
| Mifflin | 60 | 1 00 | 60 00 |
| Montour | 54 | 90 | 24 50 |
| Mt. Pleasant | 1 03 | 75 | 24 00 |
| Orange | 1 44 | 1 27 | 17 51 |
| Pine | 84 | 65 | 51 00 |
| Roaringcreek | 1 70 | 78 | |
| Scott | 1 02 | 57 | 51 60 |
| Sugarloaf | 88 | 52 | 43 50 |
| | $ 24 63 | $ 24 55 | $ 1056 61 |

By exonerations for 1890.

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|---|---|---|
| Franklin | $ 6 00 | |
| Hemlock | 1 50 | |
| Roaringcreek | 50 | |
| | $ 8 00 | |

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|---|---|
| By amount due from 1889 | $ 83 00 |
| " exonerations for 1888 | 7 50 |
| " balance due from 1888 | 69 50 |
| " commissions for 1889 | 11 16 |
| " exonerations for " | 79 00 |
| " amount due from " | 251 00 |
| " commissions for 1890 | 24 63 |
| " discounts for " | 24 55 |
| " balance due from 1890 | 1056 61 |
| " exonerations for " | 8 00 |
| " amt of orders paid for sheep killed | 447 00 |
| " commission to treasurer | 22 35 |
| " amount paid in county fund | 1700 00 |
| " cash bal on hand Jan. 5, 1891 | 273 38 |
| | $ 3548 68 |

GEORGE A. HERRING, Treasurer, in account with State Fund.

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|---|---|
| Jan. 6, 1890. | |
| To cash balance on hand from 1889 | 856 00 |
| " amt due on duplicates for 1888 | 145 45 |
| " " " " " 1889 | 720 94 |
| " " State tax assessed for 1890 | 4551 69 |
| | $ 5974 08 |

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By amount due from collectors of 1888.

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|---|---|
| Bloom | $ 133 93 |

By commissions, exonerations and amount due from collectors of 1889.

| Districts | Com. | Ex. | Amt. due |
|---|---|---|---|
| Beaver | $ 86 | $ | $ 5 30 |
| Benton | 69 | | |
| Berwick | | 21 07 | |
| Bloom | 77 | 64 25 | |
| Briarcreek | | | 15 69 |
| Catawissa | 1 83 | | 7 68 |
| Centre | | | 1 20 |
| Conyngham | | | 8 90 |
| Fishingcreek | 1 22 | 1 45 | |
| Franklin | 31 | | |
| Hemlock | 29 | | |
| Jackson | | 30 | |
| Locust | 1 05 | 4 50 | |
| Madison | 53 | | |
| Main | | | 28 33 |
| Montour | 21 | | |
| Orange | | | 15 28 |
| Pine | | | 20 79 |
| Sugarloaf | 33 | 3 30 | |
| | $ 8 18 | $91 87 | $103 17 |

By commissions, discounts and balance due from collectors of 1890.

| Districts | Com. | Dis. | Amt. due |
|---|---|---|---|
| Beaver | $ 96 | $ 1 32 | $ 10 61 |
| Benton | 2 11 | 2 01 | |
| Berwick | 13 12 | 21 88 | 78 26 |
| Bloom | 10 00 | 25 00 | 716 65 |
| Briarcreek | 2 50 | 4 14 | 33 36 |
| Catawissa | 13 06 | 16 32 | 10 59 |
| Centralia | 10 40 | 17 30 | |
| Centre | 2 04 | 3 29 | 5 34 |
| Conyngham | | 54 | 90 | 1 18 |
| Fishingcreek | 1 17 | 1 94 | 66 65 |
| Franklin | 1 00 | 1 50 | |
| Greenwood | 7 69 | 12 82 | 27 07 |
| Hemlock | 2 07 | 3 45 | |
| Jackson | 15 | 25 | 12 11 |
| Locust | 3 48 | 5 80 | 65 75 |
| Madison | 1 81 | 4 52 | 84 17 |
| Main | 2 18 | 3 63 | 26 56 |
| Mifflin | 2 19 | 3 66 | 17 37 |
| Montour | 2 09 | 3 48 | 4 37 |
| Mt. Pleasant | 2 44 | 3 28 | 6 65 |
| Orange | 6 48 | 7 56 | 3 83 |
| Pine | 59 | 47 | 16 24 |
| Roaringcreek | 3 93 | 5 89 | |
| Scott | 6 78 | 8 64 | 31 84 |
| Sugarloaf | 84 | 56 | 13 86 |
| | $139 15 | $59 91 | $1170 97 |

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|---|---|
| By amount due on duplicate of 1888 | $ 138 93 |
| " commission " " " 1889 | 8 18 |
| " exonerations allowed for " | 94 87 |
| " balance due from 1889 | 103 17 |
| " commissions on duplicates of 1890 | 109 95 |
| " discounts " " " " | 189 91 |
| " balance due " " " " | 1170 97 |
| " difference on commissions as allowed by Board of Revenue Commissioners for 1888 and 1889, and what was allowed on county statement | 9 44 |
| By amt. paid W. H. Snyder, Prothn., and C. H. Campbell, Register and Recorder for returning judgments and mortgages as per Act of June, 1887, for the year 1889 | 71 20 |
| By bal. paid state for taxes of 1889 | 154 88 |
| " amt. paid state for taxes of 1890 | 2954 66 |
| " commission allowed by Board of Revenue Commissioners for 1890 to county treasurer | 45 45 |
| By cash paid to county fund from state fund | 931 47 |
| | $ 5974 08 |

## COMMISSIONERS' EXPENSES.

For which orders were issued on the County Treasurer.

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

| | |
|---|---|
| J. S. Grimes for county institute | $ 200 00 |
| Joseph Geese, for catching fiat | 1 00 |
| B. F. Zarr, treasurer of law library, fine of F. Michael | 10 00 |
| S. L. Golder and others, witnesses against bridge in Sugarloaf twp | 21 64 |
| U. S. Express Co. expressage | 2 90 |
| Adams Express Co. expressage | 7 85 |
| Samuel Neyhard, sur. in dividing Greenwood twp. line | 24 00 |
| A. S. Kreamer, carrying chain, Greenwood twp. line | 3 00 |
| James Welsh, carrying chain, Greenwood twp. line | 1 50 |
| H. H. Hulme, viewer Greenwood twp line | 17 60 |
| John S. Kline, viewer Greenwood twp. line | 17 60 |
| G. E. Elwell, atty. Greenwood twp. line | 25 00 |
| Guy Jacoby, taking depositions vs. Water Co. | 5 50 |
| W. H. Snyder, Proth., recording names of twp. officers | 30 20 |
| Adam Utt and others, assisting in dividing Greenwood twp. | 7 00 |
| A. N. Yost, auditing public accounts | 25 00 |
| Central Telephone Co., use of phone | 48 00 |
| W. U. Telegraph Co., telegraphing | 1 60 |
| B. & S. Railroad, freight on tools | 25 |
| A. Herbine, witness, D. A. Beckley vs. Columbia county | 1 50 |
| Harman & Bassert, repairing lawn mower | 1 50 |
| W. H. Reinbold, J. P. Costs, David Walsh vs. Col. Co | 2 07 |
| J. D. Bodine, part payment of amt. allowed by Board of Revenue Commissioners for State work | 100 00 |
| John Morris, a prisoners fare to Centralia | 2 60 |
| John B. Casey, Sheriff, taking two prisoners to Eastern Penitentiary | 26 35 |
| S. Knorr & Son, bill blacksmithing | 1 88 |
| R. E. Mercer, Chairman Coms. Memorial Committee | 5 00 |
| C. K. Taylor, Japanese lanterns to decorate court house | 3 00 |
| D. R. Coffman, Congressional Return Judge | 8 20 |
| Frank Ikeler, Senatorial Return Judge | 5 40 |
| C. H. Campbell, returning mortgages | 33 80 |
| W. H. Snyder, " judgments | 108 50 |
| J. H. Maize and others, dividing Sugarloaf twp | 55 20 |
| C. A. Klein, dividing Sugarloaf twp | 21 60 |
| A. L. Fritz, atty., dividing Sugarl'f twp | 25 00 |
| W. C. Johnston, Co. Supt., for County Institute 1890 | 200 00 |
| John B. Casey, taking F. Kesterson to Eastern Penitentiary | 47 00 |
| L. A. Schaffer, copy of opinion of Hon. A. O. Furst | 5 00 |
| George A. Herring, treasurer's deeds to commissioners | 165 06 |
| | $ 1299 40 |

## COURTS, JURORS' PAY AND CONSTABLES RETURNS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Howard Ohl, 1 day juryman, Dec. term 1889, and mileage | 2 12 |
| M. E. Cox and others, tip staves during year | 195 00 |
| D. R. Coffman, court crier during year | 177 50 |
| John B. Casey, serving jury notices | 121 80 |
| Amt. paid Grand Jurors during year | 911 52 |
| " " Traverse " " " | 1919 74 |
| Constables returns " " " | 340 01 |
| Newton Walker, stenographer | 280 00 |
| " " " Hoffman vs. B. & S. R. R. | 7 51 |
| Newton Walker, stenographer Hoffman vs. B. & S. R. R. | 230 66 |
| Newton Walker, stenographer transcript, I. Burrell | 89 25 |
| Newton Walker, stenographer Nell Stroup case | 20 22 |
| Newton Walker, McManaghan and McHugh | 22 19 |
| George W. Miller, jury commissioner | 49 80 |
| J. J. Crawford, " " " | 47 50 |
| J. D. Bodine, clerk to jury commissioners | 30 00 |
| D. C. Black, Esq., serving notices on jurymen not to come | 1 50 |
| W. H. Snyder, clerk to courts | 59 15 |
| | $ 4528 29 |

## COSTS IN COMMONWEALTH CASES WHERE COUNTY BECAME LIABLE.

| | |
|---|---|
| F. P. Billmeyer, Dist. Atty | $ 28 00 |
| William Christman, Dist. Atty | 70 00 |
| W. H. Snyder, Proth | 82 05 |
| J. B. Casey, sheriff's fees on prisoners to court | 87 70 |
| Justices, constables and witnesses | 908 56 |
| | $ 1136 31 |

## ROAD AND BRIDGE VIEWS AND ROAD DAMAGES PAID.

| | |
|---|---|
| Sundry persons as viewers | $ 380 20 |
| D. F. Yohe, damage Centre | 5 00 |
| L. A. Garman, " Pine | 25 00 |
| O. Covenhoven, est., damage, Orange | 87 00 |
| John Kirkendall, damages, Centre | 7 50 |
| H. B. Angle, damage, Centre | 7 50 |
| David Herring, " Orange | 25 00 |
| Samuel Smith and others, damage, Fishingcreek | 125 00 |
| H. F. Everl, damage, Benton | 14 00 |
| Mrs. B. Stoker, " Fishingcreek | 90 00 |
| David Hartman, " Benton | 68 00 |
| Rebecca Carman, " " | 115 00 |
| George Crossley, " " | 500 00 |
| Daniel Hartman, " " | 50 00 |
| Elizabeth Krickbaum, damage, Benton | 35 00 |
| W. Gibbons, damage, Benton | 25 00 |
| Elijah Hess, " Sugarloaf | 5 00 |
| Savage & Fritz, " " | 5 00 |
| | $ 1569 20 |

## COMMISSIONERS OFFICE AND COURT HOUSE.

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|---|---|
| M. E. Cox, cleaning Court House and shoveling snow | $ 10 12 |
| W. J. Correll & Co. Rep. Reg. & Rec. table and chairs | 6 75 |
| Eshleman & Wolf repairs | 6 20 |
| B. B. Freas, repairs | 1 00 |
| E. M. Tewksbury, auditing accounts | 28 68 |
| Cyrus Robbins " " | 30 60 |
| J. B. Yetter " " | 27 96 |
| J. D. Bodine, clerk to auditors | 25 00 |
| Ezra Stephens, error in last years bill | 2 00 |
| John Thrash, Rep. pavement | 50 |
| Henry Yohe, shoveling snow | 1 00 |
| Wm. Shoemaker, cleaning W. closet | 50 |
| C. H. Fornwald, hauling coal, & rubbish | 10 50 |
| Bloomsburg Steam & E. L. Co | 345 20 |
| Andrew Campbell, cleaning closet | 1 00 |
| Clara Hilberbrant et. al. cleaning at Court House | 28 63 |
| John Fisher, cleaning at court house | 3 00 |
| D. R. Coffman, putting in glass | 60 |
| do cleaning & relaying carpet | 14 25 |
| Irene Girton, washing towels for '88, '89 | 1 50 |
| do " " and making curtains in 1890 | 3 17 |
| C. M. Blaker, work on assess book and duplicates | 38 00 |
| Baker & McBride, stand, &c for C. room | 4 45 |
| Ella and Mattie Sterner, copying assess and register books | 30 00 |
| J. R. Schuyler & Co. hardware | 2 85 |
| Moyer Bros. glass, putty, C. of lime | 66 |
| Ida Herring, work on assess book | 14 00 |
| L. Hilderbrant and McCormick, cleaning water closet | 1 50 |
| H. H. Brower, bill carpet and oil cloth | 14 63 |
| W. C. Shaw, oiling and varnishing jury room | 13 46 |
| Geary Hower, work at jury room | 3 00 |
| W. C. Wirtz, Rep. sofa and chairs library room | 25 15 |
| Creasy & Wells, lumber jury rooms | 28 21 |
| A. Herbine, ceiling jury rooms | 17 70 |
| J. H. Stecker, bill soap | 1 00 |
| Jesse Wilson, putting in glass | 40 |
| A. Herbine, putting glass and cords in windows | 7 04 |
| John W. Kramer, putting glass and cords in windows | 3 25 |
| Peacock & Pensyl, twine and salt | 30 |
| A. C. Desheppard, Rep. door springs | 75 |
| C. F. Knapp, insurance on C. H. to '93 | 232 00 |
| A. S. Wagner, part payment as architect for addition to court house | 250 00 |
| Mathias Shaffer, extra wall and expenses in old cistern | 77 70 |
| C. W. Runyan, hardware and sash cord | 7 01 |
| I. W. McKelvy, bill Mdse | 6 42 |
| B. F. Zarr, services as solicitor | 100 00 |
| do " Bloomsburg Water Co. vs county | 30 00 |
| B. F. Zarr, services Roaringcreek Water Co. vs county | 20 00 |
| B. F. Zarr, services in examining for addition to court house | 15 00 |
| Bloomsburg Steam & E. L. Co., changing service pipe | 10 69 |
| B. F. Savits, plumber | 9 31 |
| Mathias Shaffer, part payment on contract of court house addition | 4000 00 |
| Commissioners of Col. Co., expense to Pottsville, Easton and Allentown to see court houses | 52 00 |
| Bloom Gas Co., gas during year | 139 05 |
| Bloom Water Co | 65 65 |
| W. G. Girton, commissioner | 706 12 |
| Jesse Kittenhouse, commissioner | 553 17 |
| Ezra Stephens, commissioner | 601 21 |
| J. D. Bodine, clerk | 800 00 |
| | $ 8419 84 |

## COUNTY JAIL AND PRISON REQUISITIONS.

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| Hartman & Edgar, repairs | 8 25 |
| Eshleman & Wolf, " | 10 70 |
| Harman & Hassert, door for range | 1 65 |
| Lovett & Hower, hauling ashes, &c | 10 00 |
| Casey & Dawson, cementing jail wall | 156 90 |
| H. J. Clark & Son, Mdse. for prison | 3 11 |
| C. R. Kressler, straw for bed ticks | 2 00 |
| W. F. Hartman, grate, &c., for range | 7 30 |
| C. M. Drinker, Rep. lock | 50 |
| W. H. Brower, carpet | 1 00 |
| Philip Unangst, Rep. shoes prison | 5 27 |
| P. G. Miller, coal for 1889-90 | 88 72 |
| S. M. Hess, " " 1890-91 | 121 06 |
| Creasy & Wells, lumber | 9 39 |
| A. Herbine, carpenter work | 6 00 |
| H. W. Sloan, cotton flannel, &c., for prisoners | 3 49 |
| W. C. Shaw, putting in glass | 50 |
| B. F. Savits, plumbing, &c | 53 00 |
| do contract putting in pipe and radiators | 1410 00 |
| S. E. Morrall, hat for prisoner | 2 50 |
| Evans & Eyer, clothing for prisoners | 3 75 |
| C. A. Klein, medicine " " | 2 25 |
| I. W. McKelvy, Mdse. " " | 21 45 |
| A. B. Erasmus, coal oil | 50 |
| Clark Richart, brooms, &c | 1 97 |
| F. D. Dentler, shoes for prisoners | 2 00 |
| Bloom Car Co., toweling and thread | 1 17 |
| J. H. Mercer, medicine for prisoners | 3 85 |
| W. R. Kocher, nails | 38 |
| John B. Casey, boarding prisoners | 515 90 |
| do washing for " | 61 65 |
| W. W. Barret, janitor at jail | 886 00 |
| Bloom Gas Co., gas | 87 95 |
| J. B. Casey, Sheriff turnkey fees | 16 50 |
| Bloom Water Co., water | 43 15 |
| | $ 2999 51 |

## PRINTING, STATIONERY, POSTAGE &C.

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|---|---|
| Elwell & Bittenbender, court calender for Feb. term '90 to Feb. term 1891, inclusive | 35 00 |
| A. B. Cathcart, postage, stamps and envelopes | 46 50 |
| A. B. Cathcart, box rent | 2 25 |
| C. E. Randall, annual statement | 45 00 |
| J. C. Brown, " " | 45 00 |
| Elwell & Bittenbender, statement | 45 00 |
| Wm. Krickbaum, annual statement | 45 00 |
| Wm. Mann, Co., Ink and Mdse | 18 80 |
| W. H. Brooke & Co., stationery, &c | 6 43 |
| Elwell & Bittenbender, envelopes, &c | 6 75 |
| Elwell & Bittenbender, blank treasurers' deeds | 9 00 |
| Elwell & Bittenbender, notices | 2 00 |
| do election proclamation | 15 00 |
| Wm. Krickbaum, election proclamation | 15 00 |
| do blanks | 44 95 |
| J. C. Brown, election proclamation | 15 00 |
| do notices | 3 00 |
| do blanks for Reg & Rec | 6 50 |
| C. E. Randall, Ad. letting for C. house | 3 00 |
| do *News Item* for 3 years | 3 00 |
| | $ 412 18 |

## INQUISITIONS.

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|---|---|
| David H. Walsh, coroner holding 8 inquests | 140 49 |
| John G. Quick, inquest on body of McColburn | 10 86 |
| S. Snyder, inquest on unknown boy | 11 44 |
| Guy Jacoby, " " body F. P. Kline | 10 62 |
| N. P. Moore, " " " J. Shoemaker | 11 01 |
| J. G. Jacoby, " " " C. F. Clark | 15 39 |
| | $ 199 81 |

## PENITENTIARY AND ASYLUM.

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|---|---|
| Dr. John Curwen, keeping Lizzie Hawley at Warren, Pa | 91 25 |
| Dr. S. S. Shultz, Treas., keeping insane at Danville | 365 00 |
| C. S. Patterson, Treas., keeping convicts in E. Penitentiary | 212 78 |
| | $ 669 03 |

## BRIDGES BUILDING AND REPAIRS.

BEAVER.

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|---|---|
| I. Klingaman, Davis bridge, repairs | 1 00 |
| M. Schlecker, " " plank | 7 88 |

BENTON.

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| R. J. Davis, Karns bridge, repairs | 50 |
| do Benton " filling | 1 00 |

BLOOM.

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| W. M. Lemon, Barton bridge repairs | 1 25 |
| Levi Cox, " " " | 3 00 |
| J. Welliver " " " | 50 |
| Bair & Miller, Shaffer " plank | 198 62 |
| L. Shoemaker, " " repairs | 4 77 |
| C. Smith, Red Rock " work | 2 50 |
| D. Yocum, " " " hauling | 27 00 |
| Ell Jones, " " " use of tools | 3 00 |
| A. Herbine, Shaffer bridge, repairs | 13 00 |
| W. S. Fleckenstine " " hauling | 1 00 |
| E. N. Ivey, Barton " " | 1 00 |

BRIARCREEK.

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| W. L. Freas, Rittenhouse bridge rep'rs | 2 00 |

CATAWISSA.

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| Lloyd Miller, paper mill bridge, plank | 4 40 |
| D. Giffen, paper mill bridge, plank and repairs | 5 30 |
| Kline and Roadarmel, paper mill bridge, repairs | 1 50 |

CENTRE.

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| S. P. Query Co., Fowlers bridge, lime | 1 50 |
| G. W. Keechner, " " hauling | 2 75 |
| J. S. Bentley & Son, " " masonry | 40 57 |
| J. H. Aikman, " " plank and repairs | 3 74 |
| Levi Fetter, Fowlers bridge, stone and hauling | 10 75 |

FISHINGCREEK.

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| H. C. Kline, Johnson bridge, plank and repairs | 2 94 |
| T. Seigfried, et. al. Hess bridge, mason work | 32 48 |
| A. Y. Hess, Hess bridge, work | 11 13 |
| B. K. Hess, et. al. " " " | 15 25 |
| Geo. Kelchner, " " hauling | 3 75 |
| H. Fullmer, et. al., " " masonry | 29 61 |
| Berlin Iron Bridge Co., Hess Bridge contract for superstructure bridge | 475 00 |
| M. W. McHenry, Hess bridge, stone | 98 50 |
| A. J. Ikeler, " " " | 17 50 |
| T. E. Edwards, " " " | 4 00 |
| J. C. Brown, " " measuring abutements | 3 68 |
| Silver Spring Quarry Co., Hess bridge, lime | 1 80 |
| J. G. Girton, Hess bridge, 200 ft. extra lumber | 5 00 |

FRANKLIN.

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| S. D. Loreman, Nobles bridge, plank and repairs | 22 50 |
| David Reeder, Reeders bridge, work | 80 00 |
| Bair and Miller, Roaringcreek bridge, lumber | 80 00 |

GREENWOOD.

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| Hayman & Meyers, Haymans bridge, repairs | 22 00 |
| J. G. Girton, Ikelers mill bridge rep'rs | 1 00 |
| " Rohrsburg " " | 1 50 |
| J. Lemon, " " plank and repairs | 1 66 |
| J. G. Girton, Cramers bridge, repairs | 2 00 |
| Hayman & Meyer, McHenrys bridge, repairs | 50 00 |
| J. G. Girton, Heacock bridge, repairs | 1 50 |
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